

OFFERED TERRITORIAL COMPENSATION TO ITALY

Hungarian Premier Makes Concessions as Price of Continued Peaceful Relations

BUDAPEST, via Amsterdam and London, May 18.—Admiral Tisza, who had offered territorial compensation to Italy as the price of continued peaceful relations, was made yesterday by Count Stephan Tisza, the Hungarian premier, in a carefully worded speech in the diet. He declined, however, to state definitely the nature of the concessions proposed. His speech was in reply to a question by Count Andrássy, who declared the opposition could not consent to yield territory to Italy unless assured that this step was not a mere matter of momentary necessity, but the product of a definite policy aiming at the elimination of all ground for enmity between Italy and Austria-Hungary.

Disadvantage to Both

"I opine," said Count Andrássy, "that a concession of this kind would be a disadvantage to both and profit would accrue only to a third party which would take advantage of this opportunity to obtain lasting hegemony in the Mediterranean."

Count Tisza in replying endorsed the views of Count Andrássy, saying "I cannot discuss the details of our offer to Italy but I can assure you our object is to secure the lasting friendship of Italy, which is essential to the great and vital interests of both. These interests demand that we at the price of great sacrifices shall try to remove all differences which have arisen and create the foundation of a lasting friendship devoid of all secretiveness."

"I hope this attitude of the government finds support in public opinion in Hungary as I am sure the Hungarian feeling of friendship and sympathy for Italy still is keenly alive. With the elimination of differences this sympathy will grow stronger and warmer."

After the premier had finished, Count Andrássy, as leader of the opposition, declared:

"The entire nation is united on this question. If war is inevitable it will do its duty manfully but if peace is possible it will joyfully and sincerely join in bringing about more intimate and friendly relations with Italy."

FULL POWERS TO GOVERNMENT

ROME, May 18.—The Italian parliament will be asked Thursday to vote on a bill containing a single clause conferring plenary powers on the government, according to the Giornale d'Italia. Final action regarding war is not expected until after that time unless Austria makes the first move which is considered unlikely in view of the pacific speeches made in the Hungarian diet.

Alarmist rumors of all kinds are being circulated in Rome. One report circulated today was to the effect that Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador already had left the city secretly. It was unfounded, although a special train is kept in readiness to carry him to St. Gotthard if a break comes as he is understood to have expressed a wish to return to Berlin by way of Switzerland.

50 KILLED IN RIOTING

ROME, May 18.—Despatches from Trieste telegraphed from the frontier to the Idea Nazionale state that the number killed in the rioting of yesterday (Sunday) was about 50, including several aged men. The Austrian authorities had three cannon trained on the town from the height of Uplena and also threatened to have the city bombarded by warships. A renewal of the revolutionary outbreak has become impossible because strong forces of troops occupy the city. There have been explosions in two powder magazines and attempts to pillage gunsmiths' shops.

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, JR. SHOT FOUR TIMES

MAGNATE TO RESUME TESTIMONY BEFORE INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Chief interest in the hearings before the federal industrial relations committee centered in the reappearance today of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. for examination in connection with the Colorado coal strike. Correspondence submitted to the commission since Mr. Rockefeller's former appearance formed the basis for the inquiry. The witness had prepared a detailed statement in connection with the Colorado labor trouble which he was to read when he resumed his testimony late today.

When today's hearing opened Clarence S. Darrow, the labor attorney, resumed his testimony regarding the relations between labor and the law. He had been arguing that the poor man had not an equal chance before the law with the rich man when interrupted yesterday by the testimony of Mrs. Christal Eastman Benedict of New York, a suffragist advocate.



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RUSSIAN VICTORY

Russians Sweep Through Bukowina Taking Back Much Territory Which Had Been Captured by Austrians—20,000 Captured

A far reaching victory in Bukowina, the Austrian crown land on the eastern extremity of the Russian front, is claimed in an official announcement from Petrograd. According to this statement, the Russians have swept through Bukowina, taking back much territory which they held earlier in the war until they were driven out by the Austrians. Their successes are described as of such importance that they more than offset the Austro-German victory in West Galicia in the drive from Cracow. It is reported the Russians have taken Czernowitz, capital of Bukowina, having broken down Austrian resistance over a 90 mile front and captured 20,000 prisoners.

Italy's Decision Postponed

The decision of Italy's policy concerning the war apparently has been postponed until after parliament meets on Thursday. It is expected in Rome that parliament will be asked to confer plenary powers on the cabinet.

Plot to Kill Sultan

A plot to assassinate the sultan of Turkey, Field Marshal Von Der Goltz, Field Marshal Von Sanders and Enver Pasha, is said to have been discovered in Constantinople. Turks and Armenians are credited with the authorship of the plot, and 400 Armenians have been arrested.

Russians Claim Great Victory Over Austrians in Bukowina

LONDON, May 18.—The Austrian defeat in Bukowina was of such vast proportions as to more than offset the victory gained by the Teutonic allies in West Galicia, according to a Russian official statement contained in a dispatch from Petrograd to Reuters.

The Austrians are reported to have abandoned 20,000 prisoners in their flight and important positions organized on a front of 145 versts. The Russians claim to have occupied Czernowitz and that the remnants of the Austrian army retreating in the direction of the Pruth are in danger of being cut off.

The despatch says:

"The Russian official statement describes the Austrian debacle in Bukowina as of such vast importance as to render nugatory their ephemeral success in West Galicia. The latest particulars represent that the entire region between the Dniester and the Pruth is in Russian hands as the result of the brilliant victory while the Austrians utterly defeated are in disorderly flight. They have abandoned 20,000 prisoners and important positions organized on a front of 145 versts for the defence of which they made tremendous sacrifices in money and lives."

In Danger of Disaster

"Everything tends to prove that as a consequence of this victory, Czernowitz already is in the possession of the Russians while the remnants of the Austrian army, flying in the direction of the Pruth are in danger of disaster which seems inevitable because of the fierce action of our cavalry, which fell on the retreating enemy in full divisions, destroying him and incessantly augmenting the number of our trophies. This furious pursuit, so advantageous for us, continues."

"At the present moment the cluster of roads in Bukowina occupies our attention especially in the region of Komarow. Here the enemy has been reformed and has assembled every resource he possessed for defense, knowing he possessed the only railway connecting Bukowina with Transylvania and other Austria-Hungarian regions. The enemy's failure in this district which is imminent will cut short his further resistance in Bukowina."

Charles H. Shurtleff, pastor of the Ad-vent Christian church, Burial will take place today in the family lot in the Town House cemetery at Belgrade, Me.

HARRISON.—The funeral of Ralph H. Harrison was held from the home of his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Lloyd Harrison, 1407 Middlesex street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. C. Harrison Davis, pastor of the Highland M. E. church. Burial was in the Westlawn cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healy.

IN POLICE COURT

There was an unusual variety of offenders in the docket which faced Judge Enright in police court this forenoon.

Thomas Gorman, alias Polasky, who was arraigned on continuance, charged with larceny of six facets from the plant of the United States Cartridge Co. on Lawrence street, changed his plea of not guilty to guilty. Defendant gave his name as Gorman when first brought before the court but was identified by the finger print system as Thomas Polasky of Boston, who had served in the house of correction at Deer Island for larceny and other offenses.

He pleaded with the court for leniency, today, claiming that the facets were returned and no damage resulted. The return informed the defendant that the local court could not tolerate strangers coming to Lowell and committing thefts and ordered him to pay a \$15 fine. He could not produce the money and was committed to jail.

Caught on Freight Car

James Coleman and John Reed, Jr., were apprehended last night by Patrolman James Boyle who was riding a freight car near the Middlesex street station. Each pleaded guilty in court this forenoon and their cases were continued until Friday for sentence.

The case of a traveling salesman and left, Concord, N. H., last night. This statement will be investigated before Friday.

The Sausage Law

Two alleged violators of the sausage law were before the court for manufacturing sausage which contained starch in excess of ten percent. The state inspector informed the court that one of the defendants, Isale Roussel, had been warned about the offense before. Roussel pleaded guilty and was fined \$5. The case of Arthur Greenwood, the same complaint, was placed on file.

Larceny Case

Thomas J. Gibbons, who was found guilty of larceny of a suit of clothes from Mr. Julien of Middlesex street, last week was called today for sentence. Deputy Downey stated that a warrant had been taken out of the Ayer court charging Gibbons with larceny in Westford and said the local police were willing that he should be turned over to the Ayer authorities. As a result his case was continued until tomorrow and in the meantime he will be removed to Ayer.

Charged with larceny of \$35 in money from Albert Booth and Richard J. Killea Little Red Ants, Lib.

James P. Callahan was found guilty of assault and battery upon his wife, Mary A. though he stoutly denied committing the assault. Mrs. Callahan said that yesterday noon her husband went home and because she was not at work, struck her on the face. Callahan, who was very talkative, interrupted to show that he was not guilty but the testimony of his wife satisfied the court of his guilt. A suspended sentence of three months in jail was imposed.

Drunk Offenders

Among the offenders for drunkenness was a member of the Massachusetts bar, who formerly practiced in Boston. He pleaded guilty to the common law offense of being drunk and was fined \$10. The testimony of Patrolman Drowell and an employee of the station, Judge Enright ordered his case continued until Friday for sentence so that he could investigate the man's story. The latter strenuously objected to being sent to jail until Friday.

FRANK HEARING MAY 31

ATLANTA, Ga., May 18.—The Georgia prison commission yesterday set Monday, May 31, as the date for Frank's hearing on a hearing on Leo M. Frank's petition asking that his death sentence for the murder of Mary Phagan be commuted to life imprisonment.

CITY HALL NOTES

The contract for 5000 yards of filter sand for the filtration plant will go to the Lowell Brick & Cement Co., of which William A. Drapau is the head. The Lowell Brick & Cement Co. was the only bidder and the bid was \$1.84 per cubic yard. The sand, it is understood, will come from a sand bank in North Chelmsford. The bank is owned by Mr. Drapau and the sand will be transported in motor trucks.

Bids on Fire Escapes

Bids on fire escapes for the men's infirmary building at the Chelmsford street hospital will open in Commission Building on Friday forenoon at 11 o'clock.

The assessors again call the attention of those who have changed their residence within a year, that it would be well for them to call at the assessors' office and find out if they are properly on the list. The assessors are now working on the lists.

DEATHS

SPAUDING.—Miss Ida Spaulding died yesterday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Emma M. Lawrence, in Worcester, aged 58 years. She leaves, besides her sister, one brother, A. H. Spaulding of this city. The body will be forwarded to this city for burial. Miss Spaulding was a member of the First Baptist church of this city.

JENNINGS.—Mrs. Abigail Jennings died yesterday at the Old Ladies' home, aged 90 years.

FUNERALS

COFFIN.—The funeral of Louise Coffin was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker George M. Eastman in Bridge street. Burial was in the Edison cemetery.

MARCOTTE.—The funeral of Henry Marcotte was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker C. H. Mollo in Market street. Rev. F. W. Beers, pastor of the Pentecostal church of the Nazarene, conducted the services. Miss Rose Wright and Miss Amanda Barnard sang "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Rock of Ages." Burial was in the Edison cemetery, where Rev. Mr. Beers read the committal prayers.

MOSEIER.—The funeral of Emma J. Mosier was held from the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healy, 79 Branch street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev.

GERMANY TO REPLY TO U.S. NOTE ON THURSDAY

Report That Answer Will Justify Attack on Lusitania on Ground That But One Torpedo Was Fired

PARIS, May 18.—Germany's reply to the American note will be sent Thursday, according to the Matin's Amsterdam correspondent. The reply, the despatch says, will justify the attack on the Lusitania on the ground that the submarine commander has affirmed in his report that only one torpedo was fired, the second explosion being due to the fact that the ship carried munitions of war. The report is said to state that the torpedo was fired in such a way the Lusitania "would not have sunk if she had not had explosives aboard."

The Matin's correspondent says it is reported in Amsterdam that Germany will throw the responsibility for the disaster on England and on the American authorities who permitted passengers to embark on a ship carrying explosives. It is believed in Holland the correspondent asserts that Germany will decline to modify its methods of submarine warfare.

GERMAN BAN ON TEXT

BERLIN, via London, May 18.—A confidential note to the editors of newspapers throughout Germany has been sent out, informing them that nothing regarding the American note may be printed for the time being. The text of the note has not yet been officially given out, but a resume of it has been issued here by the Havas agency.

A few of the afternoon papers published this version before the note from the government had been received. With the exception of the Lokai Anzeiger, all refrain from comment. The Lokai Anzeiger says:

"The German government certainly will not delay long with the answer requested and probably will reply that in occupying itself with its 'sacred duties' it is not to be disturbed from any side."

"That the American government should consider the Lusitania as a harmless packet-boat without taking notice of the fact that it was really an auxiliary cruiser and an ammunition steamer of the British navy, appears to us scarcely believable. But the German answer to Washington will make it comprehensible to Mr. Wilson, in language as polite as it will be clear, that we must conduct the war as we are conducting it and can conduct it with a clear conscience."

The Tagliche Rundschau, commenting on the reports that the Lusitania incident has caused a growing insight in America, says:

"This insight probably will lead to the discovery that England really is the guilty party, because it took ammunition on board a passenger steamer in contravention of the American laws."

After quoting the statute which, it argues, covers this point, the Tagliche Rundschau concludes:

"According to the American laws the captain of the Lusitania ought to go to prison."

A confidential note to the editors of the newspapers, which reached them too late, says that nothing regarding the American note may be printed for the time being.

TWO SLEUTHS ON GUARD TO KILL SULTAN

SERGEANT PETRIE AND LIQUOR INSPECTOR MURPHY ON THE LOOK-OUT AT SQUARE THIS MORNING

"Is this The Sun?" came a voice over the phone, this morning, and when an affirmative reply was given, the voice continued: "Say, what are Sherlock Holmes and Guy Garrick doing in front of The Sun building, all morning. Is somebody going to pinch the building?"

A short time after another query was made as follows: "What's going on in the square? I notice a couple of detectives giving everybody the Mutt and Jeff glance as they pass by?"

Then a reporter was sent out to see what it was all about, and he came back with the report that Sergeant Petrie and Liquor Inspector Murphy were holding up the front of The Sun building, both wrapped in an air of mystery, searching, sampling, everyone who went by. Just what they were doing in Merrimack square is their own business, but they attracted as much attention as if they had been labelled "Broadways."

BROADWAY CLUB

The Broadway Social and Athletic club held its regular meeting last evening at their rooms on Broadway with President McCall presiding. Congratulatory business, of importance, was transacted. The committee on camp reported that it had engaged the Takarast camp at Flushing pond for the coming season. The feature committee is busy on the Fourth of July celebration plans. The following committee was appointed to have charge of the banquet: Richard O'Brien, Andrew McLaughlin, Garrett Royal, John Queenan, Timothy O'Sullivan. Remarks for the welfare of the club were made by many of the members.

PARIS, May 18.—Reports from Constantinople confirm the discovery of a plot organized by Armenians and Teutons to assassinate the sultan, Enver Pasha. Field Marshal Von Der Goltz and Gen. Liman Von Sanders, telegraphs the Journal's Athens correspondent.

The Armenians, the Journal says, were to have blown up the railroad bridge connecting Stambul and Galata on the sultan's birthday, while the ruler, accompanied by his commanders, was crossing to attend a ceremony at the mosque of St. Sophia. The plot is said to have been revealed by a son of Zograp Effendi, an Armenian deputy of Constantinople.

The correspondent declares 400 Armenians have been arrested and that their fate is unknown, while Kurds have been given orders to burn two large villages near Van.

NO NOTE TO BRITAIN

SEC. TUNLUTY DENIES REPORT THAT U.S. WOULD SEND SHARP MESSAGE WITHIN 72 HOURS

NEW YORK, May 18.—A report that President Wilson will send a note to Great Britain, probably within the next 72 hours, protesting against interference with American commerce, was met last night by a statement from Secretary Tunluty that no such step was in contemplation.

"The question of British interference with American commerce has been under discussion with American officials for some time and it is understood that ultimately efforts will be made to take up the question with Great Britain. Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia and others have urged the administration to take steps to keep England from holding American ships in port."

BODY FOUND IN CANAL

LAWRENCE, May 18.—The body taken from the south canal last Friday was identified yesterday as that of John McFale of 21 Springfield street. He was missing from his home several weeks. He is survived by a number of brothers. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon.

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DROP CASES AGAINST MOYER AND OTHER OFFICIALS—WERE CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY

CALUMNET, Mich., May 18.—A nolle prosequi was entered yesterday in the cases against President C. H. Moyer and 37 other officials of the Western Federation of Miners, indicted on charges of conspiracy by the Houghton county grand jury a year ago as a result of alleged acts of violence said to have been committed at the direction of the defendants during the copper strike.

The order was made by Judge P. H. O'Brien in the Baraga county circuit court at L'Anse, on motion of Prosecutor W. J. Galloway of Houghton county.

Most while the strike had ended, the decision to drop the prosecution was said to have been one of the first decisions of the new county administration elected last autumn.

SEEK NEW WATER SUPPLY

LAWRENCE UP AGAINST IT—MAYOR KANE WILL APPOINT A "WATER SEARCHING" COMMITTEE

LAWRENCE, May 18.—Mayor Kane was authorized and directed by the municipal council yesterday to appoint a commission of three members to secure a new source of water supply for the city of Lawrence. The proposition was introduced at the regular session of the council by Alderman Hannagan, who declared that the water in the Merrimack river was constantly becoming more polluted and the resultant cost of filtration was growing greater each year. The measure was passed without further discussion.

Residents in the vicinity of Mount Vernon and Beacon streets who, for more than three years, have been pleading for an adequate water supply in that neighborhood were in attendance at the meeting this forenoon and again urged that the city government take cognizance of the situation and show a disposition to assist them. Upon the motion of Alderman Hannagan the council voted to instruct Alderman Hannagan to take immediate steps with a view toward relieving conditions.

Alderman Hannagan stated that he would make an effort to secure water from the town of Andover as he said he saw no other solution. To connect with the high water service he said would be prohibitive because of the cost.

BILLERICA

Plans for a Memorial Day observance in Billerica will be discussed at the meeting of the American Legion, 100 Lakeside, at 2 P. M. to be held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Adelaide Dottomley, North Billerica. A large attendance of members is expected.

William McBride, James F. Rule and Bernard Fetherston, all overseers in the "Tahol" mine, have returned from the outings and convention of New England overseers held at Rocky Point, near Providence, R. I. Saturday.

CHESTNUT BARK DISEASE

Public Hearing to Consider Advisability of State Quarantines Prohibiting Shipment of Nursery Stock

WASHINGTON, May 18.—A public hearing was held at the department of agriculture today to consider the advisability of state quarantines prohibiting the shipment of chestnut nursery stock and chestnut lumber retaining the natural bark from Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia, and portions of Ohio, North Carolina, Iowa and Nebraska to points outside those states.

The hearing was called as a result of the failure of congress to appropriate for further federal control of the chestnut bark disease after July 1, 1915.

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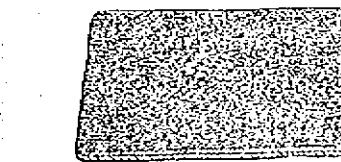
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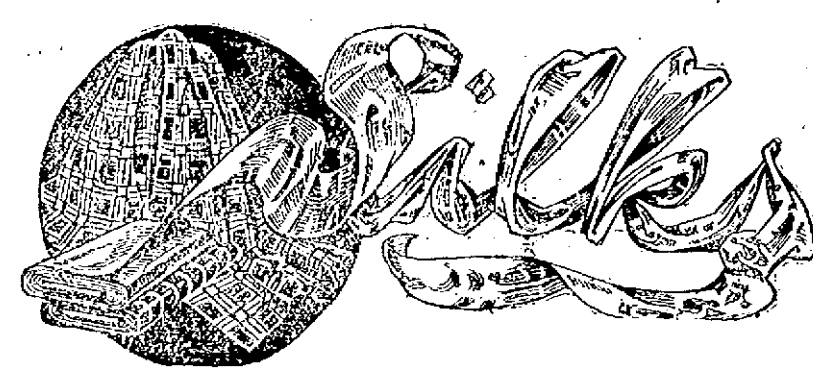
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RIGGS BANK CASE

Bitterness in Case—Comptroller Williams Called Law Violator

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Arguments on the legal phases of the injunction suit brought by the Riggs National Bank against Secretary McAdoo, Comptroller Williams and John Burke, treasurer of the United States, who are charged by the bank with conspiring to wreck it, were continued today in the supreme court of the District of Columbia.

Frank J. Hogan, of counsel for the bank, resumed his argument in opposition to motions of government counsel that the proceedings be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. Arguments on questions of law probably will not be concluded before the close of tomorrow's session of the court. If the court should overrule the motions to dismiss the defendant officials then would have to show cause why they should not be permanently enjoined from continuing the alleged unlawful interference with the bank.

An indication of the bitterness with which the litigation will be fought developed when after the case was called yesterday. The opposing lawyers engaged in heated wrangle over publicity methods employed in the proceedings, upon which Justice McCall, president, called a halt with the announcement that this court is not going to be used as a laboratory to test bad blood.

Louis Francis Samuel Undermyer and associate counsel for Secretary McAdoo, Comptroller of the Currency Williams and Treasurer John Burke, who are charged with conspiring to wreck the Riggs bank, filed briefs in support of their motions to dismiss the proceedings.

They maintained that "the suit involves the property of the United States" and that the government cannot be made a party to a suit without its consent. The officers in their dealings with the bank, it was declared, acted in their official capacity and within the law. The right of the bank to sue in equity also was challenged on the ground that it had an adequate remedy at law.

to show that officials of the government may be made amenable to the court when they attempt to usurp authority and asserted that Mr. McAdoo incurred authority to be the paying officer of the United States and with holding \$5000 interest on bonds due the Riggs bank to satisfy penalties by Comptroller Williams.

Referring to Comptroller Williams, Mr. Hogan said: "We hale to the bar an individual who has assumed a law administrator and become a law violator."

The withdrawal of American Red Cross and Panama canal funds from deposit at the Riggs bank, the attorney declared, was brought about through the interference of Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller Williams.

"Together," he said, "these men took away from the Riggs bank more than \$1,000,000 in deposits, yet they say that the bank might not be as solvent as it is today if they had not helped it."

It was believed today that probably two more days would be occupied by the arguments on the legal phases of the proceedings. If the court should overrule the motions to dismiss the defendant officials then would have to show cause why they should not be permanently enjoined from continuing the alleged unlawful interference with the bank.

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OFFICER DIES OF INJURIES WORCESTER, May 18.—James B. De Shazo, a member of the state police, stationed at the Worcester office, died last night at his home, 103 Austin street, as the result of an assault alleged to have been committed by John O'Donnell when the latter appeared at the local office for an examination for a fireman's license three months ago.

DANBURY HATTERS' CASE

UNITED HATTERS OF NO. AMERICA IN CONVENTION TO REPORT ON QUESTION OF JUDGMENT

NEW YORK, May 18.—The special committee of the United Hatters of North America in convention here was preparing today its report on the question of meeting the judgment of approximately \$300,000 given to Loewe & Co., hat manufacturers of Danbury, Conn., in a boycott action. The judgment was affirmed by the United States supreme court and Loewe & Co. have served notice on officers of the hatters union that unless the union takes steps to satisfy the judgment it will proceed in foreclosure actions against the homes and bank accounts of the hatters which were attached when the suit was begun in 1908.

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THE SICKABED LADY

Have you ever heard of the medicinal qualities of shoemakers' wax? asked nurse. Long before the virtues of antiphotogenic and peroxide of hydrogen were extolled as healing and antiseptic agents, shoemakers' wax was relied upon in many an old-fashioned home. A bit of shoemakers' wax heated and applied over a bruise or abrasion will draw out any poison that may have entered the wound and prevent danger of that modern horror, infection and its dangerous result, blood poison.

Keep a bit of this old-time safeguard in the house, and if somebody steps inadvertently on a rusty carpet tack, or runs a can opener into the

fleshy part of the palm, wash out the wound and clap over it a bit of melted shoemakers' wax, binding a clean bandage over. Or, better still, cleanse the abrasion with peroxide if you have it in the house—as everybody should have—and then apply the heated wax. Infection gets in its deadly work before the danger is realized in most cases, and by the time a neglected cut or bruise has begun to look angry and the doctor summoned, he may not be able to prevent a long and annoying case of blood poison, if not an actually dangerous condition.

Some very fine dishes for invalids are contributed by nurse today, all made from beef. Cut a pound best lean steak in small pieces, place in glass fruit jar, cover tightly and set in a pot of cold water; heat gradually to boil and continue this steadily three or four hours, until the meat is like white rags and the juice thoroughly extracted; season with very little salt, and strain through a wire strainer. Serve either warm or cold.

When beef tea is wanted for immediate use, place in a common pint yellowware bowl, add very little water, cover with saucer, and place in a moderate oven; if in danger of burning, add a little more water. To make beef tea more palatable for some patients, freeze it.

For beef tea to one pint of beef essence quite hot, add a teaspoon of the best cream, well heated, into which the yolk of a fresh egg has been previously stirred, mix carefully together, season slightly and serve.

Nurse thinks those in the country this summer walking should know that poisonous plants are distinctly marked by nature. Old settlers, trappers, Indians, and negroes, all familiar with the woods, will avoid berries that are as smooth as a glass bead all around. They know the roughness at the bloom end is a sure indication of non-poisonous qualities.

All cuts of this class, wild or cultivated, so marked, are wholesome. Huckleberries, whortleberries, cranberries and gooseberries, although not exactly in the same class, are still slightly rough at the bloom end, and in all varieties, perfectly wild, are safe to handle and to eat.

The deadly nightshade and seed berries of the poison ivy are sleek and smooth on the bloom end as glass. These smooth sleek, wild berries all have poisonous properties. Nature never errs; her sign and symbol is upon them.

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS

Common Sense Advice by a Distinguished Specialist

"Acid" stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach, and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer. Ordinary medicinal and medicinal treatments are of no use in such cases, for they leave the source of the trouble, the acid in the stomach, as dangerous as ever. The acid must be neutralized, and its formation prevented, and the best thing for this purpose is a teaspoonful of bisulphate of magnesia, a simple antacid, taken in a little warm or cold water prior to eating, which not only neutralizes the acid, but also prevents the fermentation from which acidity is developed. Foods which ordinarily cause distress may be eaten with impunity if the meal is followed with a little bisulphate of magnesia, which can be obtained at Liggett's pharmacy or from any druggist, and should always be kept handy.

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\$27.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$18.33
\$41.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$27.33
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\$30.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$20.00
\$35.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$23.33
\$42.50 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$28.33
\$55.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$36.67
\$80.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$53.00
\$45.00 Bird's Eye Maple Bureau.....	\$30.00
\$29.50 Bird's Eye Maple Bureau.....	\$19.50
\$27.50 Bird's Eye Maple Bureau.....	\$18.33
\$62.50 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$41.72
\$50.00 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$33.33
\$42.50 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$28.33
\$35.00 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$23.33

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If your hair is anything short of perfect, if it is losing color, too dry, brittle, thin, or if the scalp burns and itches, you should immediately begin the use of Parisian Sage. The first application of this safe and always reliable tonic removes every trace of dandruff, cools and invigorates the scalp and beautifies the hair until it is gloriously radiant.

Parisian Sage supplies all hair needs and does not injure either the hair or scalp. It contains the exact elements needed to make the hair soft and wavy, and to make it grow long, thick and beautiful. It is a delicately-perfumed liquid—not sticky or greasy—that can be had at any drug counter.

Parisian Sage acts instantly—one application stops the head from itching and refreshes the hair. You will be surprised and delighted with this helpful toilet preparation, for nothing else is so good for the hair and scalp, and nothing so quickly beautifies the hair giving it that enviable charm and fascination. Parisian Sage is one of the quickest acting hair tonics known—inexpensive and easily used at home.

medical hints I think are worth noting. Cure for nose-bleed. Take common white beans, roast until a good brown, then grind them fine and take a snuff. Blow some flour in the oven by a slow fire, and make a heavy ball of milk with salt and sugar if desired, and it will cure bowel complaint either with children or adults if no other food is eaten for a day or two.

Cure for rheumatism: five cents' worth of camphor dissolved in a pint of kerosene, apply to skin over the affected joints before retiring and rub well. To clear your voice when singing try a gargle of borax and water, or allow a small pinch of the former to melt in your mouth and swallow; this is said to be used by the best singers.

When the feet are sore or tired or burning up try taking a teaspoon of epsom salts in a glass of water, and a tablespoon of ammonia and put into water enough to cover feet to ankles. Soak twenty minutes. Water must be lukewarm or cool not cold.

Nurse has asked me to tell you how to cook cranberries. As they are brought from the market is to meet a keen disappointment in a delicate berry which many persons do not enjoy because its wild flavor is unpleasant to the taste.

Clean the berries, place them in a pan with sufficient water to cover them, and add a half teaspoon of soda. Boil the berries in the soda water until you hear them bursting. Drain the water from them, it will be found a greenish black, rinse them in cold water, then cook with sugar. It removes the "tang" and less sugar is needed to sweeten them if cooked in this way.

The same method can be used successfully in cooking soup beans, from which the greenish water removes a poisonous substance, makes the bean clean and white when cooked, and they cook in less time, too.

A mustard poultice is good, says nurse, used for a counter irritant in case of a pain in the chest, backache, etc. Into one gill of boiling water stir one tablespoon of dry mustard. Equal parts of mustard and flour mix into a paste and spread between two pieces of muslin make a mustard plaster.

The proper way to make a mustard plaster so that it will not blister the patient is to use the white of an egg to mix with the mustard instead of water. Another way is to rub the part to be plastered with vasoline and a coating left on the skin.

"TAKING THE CENSUS"

Delightful one Act Comedy to Be Presented in Associate Hall Tomorrow Evening

The final rehearsal of the cast to participate in the one act comedy, "Taking the Census in Binghamville," which will be given at Associate Hall tomorrow evening, was held last night and it went off like clockwork. The success of the rehearsal indicates a great performance. All members were present and each gave his or her part in a very efficient manner. The comedy roles are in the hands of clever thespians, and in fact all parts are in charge of capable performers. The piece opens with a lively town meeting and just when all are getting excited over an important issue the census man rushes in and takes charge of the situation. From then until the final curtain it is one continuous round of enjoyment, and all who attend are promised one of the most entertaining evenings of the season. The affair is in charge of the Tabernacle society of St. Columba's church, and from the large number of tickets already disposed of a record crowd is assured.

NINTH REGT. M. V. M.

Non-Commissioned Officers Elected Officers For the ensuing Year Yesterday

The members of the Non-Commissioned Officers society of the Ninth Regiment, M. V. M., met in Boston yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year with the following result: Regimental Sergeant Major John E. Upton, Boston, president; Sergt. George Company, G. Worcester, president; Sergt. Colling, Co. E. Boston, secretary-treasurer; Sergt. Erickson, Co. M. Lowell; Sergt. Driscoll, Co. H. Sergt. Friedenberg, Co. A. Boston, auditing committee; Sergts. Walsh, Saunders, Fitzgerald and Hayes, executive committee.

It was announced that the regiment will perform its annual tour of duty July 15 at Peter's pond, and on June 12 the regiment will go to Worcester for the annual field day. Col. Edward Logan addressed the gathering and it was voted to hold another meeting on June 27.

TO COMPLETE THE CENSUS

Alexis F. Fecteau Wants Residents Who Have Been Missed to Send in Their Names

Alexis F. Fecteau, local director of the census enumeration, wants it known that all residents of Lowell who have missed being listed on the census enumeration, which is just being completed, are urged to send their names and addresses to the census office, 24 Mt. Vernon street, Boston. The work in Lowell is now nearly completed and Mr. Fecteau is anxious to clean up the work as speedily as possible. If you send in your name to the census office on this appeal, be sure to put your street address and the name of the city or town on the letter.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Facts

That Mean Much

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The United States Pharmacopoeia (the Government authority on medicines and their proper preparation) long ago saw the necessity of eliminating as far as possible fusel oil and tannin from whiskey to be used for medicinal purposes. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has always been made for medicinal use only, and contains the least possible amount, less even than the Government standard.

The accompanying charts show the average amount of fusel oil and tannin found in the usual beverage whiskey.

Then you'll note the far smaller amount shown in the U. S. Standard for medicinal whiskey.

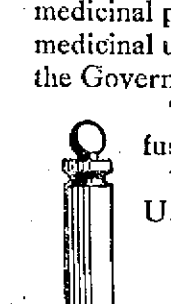
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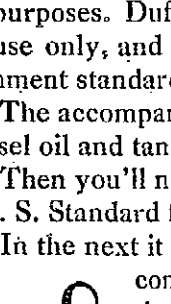
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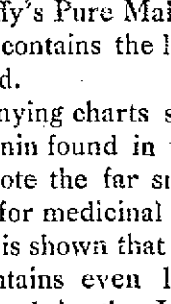
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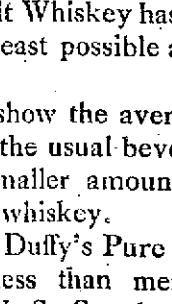
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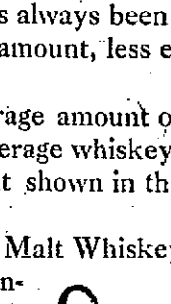
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Tannin in average beverage whiskeys.



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Tannin in Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.



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WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

MAKING GIFTS IN SUMMER

"I have so much to do this summer," complained Marjorie, "that I am afraid I shall have no time to work on gifts as I have always done every year."

"Why not?" asked Marie. "It is not necessary to do needlework every moment to accomplish a lot as it is a task, or pleasure, that can be done at odd moments. Take a breathing space between doing the dishes and making the beds, and pick up the bit of work

in the bag and take perhaps not more than a half dozen stitches.

"You'd be surprised how making a single eyelet now and then at odd moments will soon complete quite a large centrepiece, and pretty things of ribbon work up even more quickly. You can make the prettiest flower workbag imaginable which I saw not long ago, and it took only a week of the smallest kind of breathing spaces and the maker didn't even rush nor work overmuch."

"True, one article a week isn't much, but when you make a practice of continually keeping at it, one gift a week amounts to at least fifty a year, sometimes a little more and sometimes a little less, according to their size and elaborateness."

"The bag was one of those simple, round, puffy little affairs, with a circular disk of silk-covered cardboard forming the bottom, and the straight, hemmed piece of silk which forms the bag is shirred around it. The bag and casing for the draw ribbon are, of course, made in one. The deep hem simply has two rows of stitching run along it about a half inch of three-quarters of an inch apart."

"Sometimes an inch-wide casing is used. This stitches the hem and the second row forms the casing. The bag may be in either pink or deep yellow silk. Any color, of course, may be used."

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PLANT RESUMES FULL TIME

Bennington, Vt., Machinery Firm, Hit By War Conditions Nearly Year Ago, Has Big Order

BENNINGTON, Vt., May 18.—The Charles Cooper estate, manufacturers of knit underwear, machinery and needles, opened yesterday morning with a full force on full time for the first time in nearly a year.

An order just received is expected to keep the shop running all summer. About a year ago the company built for a German company a number of machines which it has been unable to street. The property is owned by Miss Plant, inability to realize on these

machines and the general depression compelled the company to run on a 40-hour schedule for several months and in March it laid off about half of its machinists.

WILL GIVE BIRD TALK
Secretary Townsend of the Audubon society of New Hampshire for the Protection of Native Birds will give a talk before the Lowell Fish and Game association on game, song, and "ornamental" birds, on the evening of June 1.

STILL ALARM
Hose 7 responded to a still alarm at 11:40 o'clock last evening for a chimney fire in a building at 352 Lawrence street. The property is owned by Miss Plant, inability to realize on these

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From Yesterday's Late Editions

NEWS FROM CITY HALL AND DEPARTMENT WORK

There was another Pawtucket bridge conference at city hall this morning. The parties to the conference which, by the way, was not a private affair, were Mayor Murphy and Messrs. Thos. Yarnum, Daniel Bean, James Trevors, James R. Ellis, W. T. S. Bartlett, Joseph Wilson and Charles Holmes. It seems that the Pawtucketville people got it into their heads that the mayor was a bit lukewarm on the bridge question because of his attitude at the council meeting last week when the engineer from Springfield talked plans and estimates for a new bridge, and they decided to find out about it. Hence, the conference this forenoon. They held a meeting in Coburn's store a few nights ago and at that meeting it was determined to see the mayor and have it out with him. They didn't want to see any other member of the municipal council. They felt that Commissioner Morse would be with them through thick and thin, and they thought that the mayor's lead would follow the mayor's lead. They think that Commissioner Carmichael is with them.

When mention was made at the conference this morning that Commissioner Morse was in favor of a new bridge, the mayor said: "I know that Mr. Morse is for a new bridge, but I would not be in favor of a bridge unless I could see my way clear, and I want to say right here and now that a great deal depends upon how our high school bill is received in the legislature today and tomorrow."

Mr. Wilson and others of the gentlemen present said they did not want to rush matters, but they said that the building of a new bridge would be a good investment for the city and they thought that was a pretty good argument in its favor. Mr. Wilson declared that the financial condition of the country was never better than at present, and he thought this ought to be a good time to make necessary improvements. The Pawtucketville men said they would keep their eye on Representative Jewett, and if Victor doesn't do his level best to put the high school order through his political fire will be in danger of a puncture over Pawtucketville way. It was finally decided to let the matter rest for a week and see how things pan out in the legislature.

High School Proposition

City Solicitor Hennessy took the 11 o'clock train for Boston this morning to present to the legislature the act authorizing the city of Lowell to incur additional indebtedness for high school purposes. He was met at the state

house by Rep. Victor Francis Jewett who introduced him to the speaker of the house and the solicitor explained the urgent necessity of the legislation asked for. Rep. Jewett promised that every effort will be made to convince the committee on rules, of which he is a member, that the measure should be admitted. The act reads as follows:

Section 1. The city of Lowell for the purpose of purchasing or otherwise acquiring land, and of constructing a high school building, thereon, and of equipping such high school building, hereby incurs indebtedness to an amount not exceeding seven hundred thousand dollars, and may issue bonds or notes therefor, to be denominated on the face thereof, "City of Lowell School Loan Act of 1915."

Such bonds or notes shall be signed by the treasurer and countersigned by the mayor, and shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding four and one-half per cent per annum, and shall not be reckoned in determining the statutory limit of indebtedness by the city, and shall be payable by such annual payments, beginning not more than one year after the date thereof, as will extinguish each loan within thirty years after its date. The amount of such annual payment of any loan in any year shall not be less than the amount of the principal of the loan payable in any subsequent year. Each authorization of bonds or notes shall constitute a separate loan. The city may sell the said securities at public or private sale, upon such terms and conditions as it may deem proper, but they shall not be sold for less than par value.

Section 2. The city, at the time of authorizing the said loan, shall provide for the payment thereof by annual payments as will extinguish the same within the time prescribed in this act; and when such provision has been made, the amount required therefor shall, without further vote, annually be assessed by the assessors of the city, in the same manner in which other taxes are assessed, until the debt is extinguished.

Section 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Back From Cincinnati

Commissioner James H. Carmichael and Supt. Thomas of the water department arrived home from Cincinnati, Ohio, last night, where they attended a water works convention under the auspices of the American Water Works Association. Mr. Thomas is a past president of this association and he is now on the executive and nominating committees. The two Lowell men had a very fine trip and Commissioner Carmichael got a fund of information that he thinks will be of splendid service to him later on. They were very valuable passengers read on things pertaining to water departments and sewage. They also looked over the water system in Akron, O., which is being built by Engineer Barbour, the man responsible for the filtration plant that is being built here.

In the west and south, Mr. Carmichael said, they resort to mechanical filtration. They use chemicals in the water to coagulate and neutralize it, for the river water in most places is not very clear. Akron is a city about the size of Lowell, Mr. Carmichael says. The Cincinnati water works are nothing short of wonderful. Mechanical filtration is resorted to there and 100,000,000 gallons a day are pumped from the reservoir to the coagulating basin where the chemicals are applied. Cincinnati's water supply comes from Ohio river.

Cincinnati is the only municipality to own a railroad and maintain a city university. The railroad extends from Cincinnati to Chattanooga, Tenn., a distance of about 350 miles. The proceeds of the road are devoted to education and support the city university which includes medical and art schools. Mr. Carmichael said he was told that the railroad pays 14 per cent. The road is known as the Cincinnati Southern.

The city of Akron is about the size of Lowell and there is a white way there, but it is maintained by the abutters. The lights cost about \$50 each to maintain. They are supported by a particular, not a general assessment. I was told that the abutters never objected to the maintenance of the white way and the merchants and others would not think of being without it.

Mayor in Springfield

Mayor Murphy went to Springfield this afternoon to attend a Foresters convention which will be held there tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday. The mayor is a delegate from Court Gen. Dimon. He notified Commissioner Carmichael that he would not be back for the council meeting tomorrow, and that he did not expect to get back before Thursday morning. Commissioner Carmichael, in the absence of the mayor, will be acting mayor.

Bids Opened

Bids have been opened by the purchasing agent. One hundred feet 2 1/2 inch iron pipe, 2000 feet one inch and 500 feet of two inch iron pipe for the water department, as follows: Middle-

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We have just received a large assortment of new blouses, in crepe de chine and Jap. silks, with box pleats, embroidered fronts; the new two-in-one collar. Finished with hemstitching. White, black and flesh. Cut price..... \$2.98

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FUNERALS

CUMMINGS—The funeral of Ellen F. Cummings took place this morning from her late home, 232 School street at 9 o'clock and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a funeral high mass was sung at 9 o'clock and the Rev. Timothy Callahan officiated. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were: Pillow inscribed "Nellie" from family; and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGrath, shipping department Lawrence Bros.; Mrs. E. J. Callahan; Mrs. Smith and family; Mr. John Welch and family; Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Dowd; Tully family; Owen Monahan; Mr. and Mrs. James J. Callahan; Mrs. Woburn, Miss Margaret Riley; spiritual bouquet, Miss Mary McKennedy. The bearers were Michael J. Dowd, Joseph McGrath, Charles and Michael Finnick. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Timothy Callahan read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

BURNS—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. J. Burns took place this morning from her late home, 304 Westford street, at 9 o'clock and was largely attended, including the following from out-of-town: Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Logue, Mr. and Mrs. James Kelher and Mrs. Conway of Charlestown; Mrs. John Ahern, Miss Louisa Boston and Mr. Warren White of Beverly. The cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. Charles J. Gallagher. The bearers were Messrs. James Burns, Edward Burns, James Kelher, Hugh Logue, Warren White and Robert Morrissey. Among the floral offerings were: "Life and Memento" wreath, "Sister," Mrs. Johanna Conner, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Warren White, Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Morrissey, Mrs. John Ahern; pillow, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Abbott, Mrs. N. A. Houston, Mrs. S. S. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Merrill, Mrs. Mary Lewis, Mrs. Henry Keene and "Life and Memento" wreath. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Callahan. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

DEVINE—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary J. Devine of South Norwalk, Conn., widow of James H. Devine, took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a funeral high mass was sung by Rev. Joseph Curtin. The bearers were George and Michael C. Brennan, Louis Greaves and Joseph Carey. At the grave, Fr. Curtin read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

Baroness de la Roche, the first woman to fly alone in an aeroplane, now heads a French automobile service corps made up of expert women drivers who assist the army in the field.

6000 MASSACRED

Armenians Put to Death at Van, in Armenia, Asiatic Turkey

LONDON, May 17.—Six thousand Armenians have been massacred at Van, in Armenia, Asiatic Turkey, according to a despatch received in official quarters in London today from the Russian consul at Urmiah, Persia.

This message is dated May 15. It adds that the Armenians are defending themselves to the utmost against the Turks and Kurds but that help is urgently needed.

News from Persia, Armenia and Transcaucasia in Russia have set forth for several weeks that the position of the Armenians in Turkey, as well as in northwestern Persia, were one of grave danger, but no message has conveyed any indication of such extensive massacring as does this report to London. If it is true the Armenian situation has entered upon a period which threatens to rival the conditions of 1895.

Kurds and Turks have been persecuting the Armenian residents of these localities for several months. Many have been driven away as slaves. The city of Van normally has 30,000 inhabitants. It is the seat of an important American mission and the missionaries have taken an active part in the protection of Armenians from Turkish and Kurdish attacks.

Ferocious massacres of Armenians in 1895 which resulted in international action for enforcement of reforms occurred in October and November. Something like 15,000 people were killed in these months.

TO PROTECT AMERICANS

BOSTON, May 17.—Rev. James L.

FUNERAL NOTICES

GALLAGHER—The funeral of the late Michael Gallagher will take place Wednesday morning from his home, 101 Grand street. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Peter's church, the hour to be announced later. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. In charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FITZGERALD—The funeral of the late Miss Jennie Fitzgerald will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

WARREN—The funeral of Mary A. Warren will take place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 30 Burns street. At 9:15 a funeral high mass will be sung at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. In charge of George B. McKenna.

ROBERTS—Died May 15. In this city, Mrs. Louisa C. Roberts, aged 77 years, died at 12 o'clock at her home, 74 Stevens street. The funeral services will be held at 7 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Burial will be in the Spring Grove cemetery at Andover, Mass. Undertaker George W. Healey in charge.

NO CARS RUNNING

LONDON, May 17.—With the exception of an occasional car, London today is without a street car service, virtually all the drivers and conductors of the London county municipal railway street car system now out on strike having taken a pledge not to return to work until a permanent increase in pay and not merely a war bonus is granted.

HELD WITHOUT BAIL

FALL RIVER, May 17.—Miss Catherine McCloskey who is alleged to have shot and killed Deputy Samuel Haddock at her home last week, was adjudged probably guilty at the conclusion of a preliminary hearing in the district court today and remanded to the house of correction in New Bedford without bail, there to await the action of the grand jury.

20 Saving Items FROM Cherry & Webb All Day Today

32 SUITS in Serges, Checks and Poplins, sold to \$18.75. **\$7.90**
Choice at.....

40 COATS, Serges and Checks, \$6.00 to \$8.00 values. **\$3.98**
Choice at.....

25 DOZEN NEW REPP and POPLIN WASH SKIRTS, \$1.50 value, at..... **98c**

10 DOZEN \$1.00 PETTICOATS, at..... **49c**

60 RAINCOATS, Poplin and Double Texture goods, sold at \$5.98. Choice... **\$2.98**

MATRIMONIAL

MCCARTHY—RYDLE

John J. McCarthy and Miss Mary M. Rydle, two well known young people of this city were married at St. Peter's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan. The bride was a traveling star of blue and was attended by Miss Lena Somers. At the close of the ceremony the couple went to Norwood, Mass., where they were tendered a reception at the home of the bride's sister. They will reside at 11 Lawrence street.

Nearly all the girls in Lewis, Kan., have joined the Anti-Cigarette league formed in that town, and now none of the members will walk the streets with any man who smokes cigars.

TELEPHONE ALARM OF FIRE

Engine 4 responded to a telephone alarm 12:15 o'clock today for a chimney fire in a dwelling at 11 Everett street. No damage.

RIKER-JAYNES RELIABLE DRUG STORE

Everybody Should Bathe Internally

BECAUSE 90 per cent. of the ills of humanity are caused by constipation.

BECAUSE a large number of persons are constipated and don't know it.

BECAUSE disease, in one word, is congestion and by removing the cause of congestion you remove the cause of disease.

BECAUSE a number of so-called women's troubles are frequently symptoms indicating a displacement of one or more of the female organs due to abnormal distention of the colon (large intestine) caused by constipation.

BECAUSE nervousness, insomnia, gas in the intestines, biliousness, dizziness, headache, arterio-sclerosis (hardening of the arteries), high blood pressure, Bright's disease, diabetes, appendicitis, rheumatism, gout, obesity, anemia and a multitude of other symptoms and diseases are directly or indirectly caused by faulty functioning of the eliminating organs.

BECAUSE by keeping the colon clean and free from putrefactive fermentation the multiplication of disease producing bacteria is thereby reduced to a minimum.

BECAUSE it is just as necessary to be clean internally as it is to be clean externally, only more so.

BECAUSE life can be very materially prolonged by the consistent practice of internal bathing with a "J. B. L. Cascade."

BECAUSE premature old age can be prevented through the systematic cleansing of the intestinal tract.

BECAUSE the introduction of water into the colon acts as a stimulant to the muscular structure of that organ, producing a natural action of the bowels.

BECAUSE there are no drugs made that cure constipation.

BECAUSE nothing "Cures" Internal bathing removes the cause of constipation and thus does away with the need for a "Cure."

BECAUSE many apparently healthy people have a daily movement of the bowels, whose colons, under examination, prove to be obstructed.

BECAUSE internal bathing confers immunity and thereby lessens the susceptibility to disease.

If you will stop in at any of the Riker-Jaynes Drug Stores where the "J. B. L. Cascade" is now being shown you can learn more about this wonderful life saving necessity. If you do not care to take the time to hear the story ask for one of the free booklets, "The What, the Why and the Way of Internal Bathing."

20 PRIESTLY CRAVENETTE SCOTCH MIXTURE COATS, value \$8.00, sold at.... **\$5.00**

35 PURE LINEN DRESSES, all colors, \$8 Dresses, at **\$5.00**

15 PALM BEACH SUITS, \$10 values, at..... **\$7.98**

\$3.00 SILK PETTICOATS, 20 dozen in the lot.... **\$1.79**

\$1.00 GINGHAM DRESSES..... **69c**

35 SILK and SERGE DRESSES, \$12 to \$15 values, **\$5.00**

40 SOILED LINGERIE DRESSES, values to \$10 Choice **\$2.00**

20 GOLFINE COATS, lined throughout, rose, putty, Belgian blue, \$10 values, **\$5.00**

150 CLOTH SKIRTS, Poplin, Serge and Checks, \$1.00 and \$3.00 skirts..... **\$2.98**

\$1.50 MIDDY BLOUSES..... **98c**

40 SAMPLE RAINCOATS, less than cost. Choice..... **\$5.00**

12 WHITE CHINCHILLA COATS, \$12.50 values, **\$8.98**

35 CHILD'S GRADUATION DRESSES, \$5 values, **\$2.98**

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TODAY ONLY **Tomato Soup** 10c **6c**
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SEA SHELL	PURE	BLOOD	FRESH
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In Bulk, 7c	Lb. 14c	Doz. 9c	Large Fish, ea. 18c
3 to 9 p. m.	3 to 9 p. m.	3 to 9 p. m.	3 to 9 p. m.

STRAWBERRIES All Day **10c**
BOX

STRONG LIVE LARGE LOBSTERS, Lb..... **20c**

LEMONS, Extra Large, Dozen..... **10c**

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Our Thirty-Fifth Anniversary Sale

OPENS TOMORROW MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK

We know of no better way, on this anniversary to express our gratitude and our natural pride in the result of our labors, than to make this sale an example of our overpowering energy and its agreeable surprises.

It took months of careful planning and full co-operation of manufacturers and wholesalers with us to make this great event possible. New, seasonable, desirable Merchandise from every Department of Our Store will be offered to you in many instances below the cost of production today.

This sale is intended as a "BUSINESS BUILDER," not a profit making nor profit-sharing occasion.

The one aim is to have EACH ITEM SO REMARKABLE in its enormous value giving, that it will reward the faithful and bring thousands of new customers to this store. It is impossible to picture this sale in words.

COME TO IT

Women's Suits and Coats

No Matter How Low the Price Quality is Never Sacrificed

25 Suits in Blue Serge, Coverlet and Donegal Tweeds, regular \$15.00 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$7.98**

70 Suits in Men's Wear Serge, Poplin and Gabardine; colors, black, navy, Belgian, Green, Putty and Black and White Checks, were \$18.50, \$20.00 and \$22.50. Anniversary Sale Price **\$12.50**

\$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30.00 Suits. Anniversary Sale Price **\$18.50**

Lot of Coats, black and white checks, several styles, \$5.00 and \$6.00 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$2.98**

Coats in Coat, Mixtures and Serges, \$7.98 and \$8.98 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$5.00**

Big Lot of Coats in Coat Serges and Basket Weaves, many lined throughout, value up to \$12.50. Anniversary Sale Price **\$7.98**

DRESSES

Lot of Odd Dresses in serges, were up to \$5.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

Lot of Odd Dresses, silks and French Serges, \$7.98 to \$12.50 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

Lot of Silk Dresses, messaline, crepe de chine and poplin, up to \$12.50 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$7.98**

SKIRTS

All Wool Black and Blue Serge and Black and White Check Skirts, \$1.98 and \$2.98 value. Anniversary Price **\$1.50**

\$5.00 and \$5.98 Skirts in Serge and Poplin, including extra large belt measure up to 36. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

Anniversary Sale of MILLINERY

40 Dozen Genuine Panamas, value \$2.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

10 Dozen Colored Hats, good shapes, value \$1.50. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

50 Trimmed Hats, value \$2.50 to \$4.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

50 Children's Trimmed Hats, value \$1.50 to \$3.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

Large Black and White Shapes, value \$2.50 to \$5.00. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

50 Trimmed Hats, value \$5.00 to \$8.50. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

50 Ostrich Plumes, value \$3.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.79**

Our entire stock of better quality Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats reduced 1-3 off their former values.

Anniversary Sale MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Colored Dresses, in gingham and chambray, all the newest summer styles, sizes 2 to 6 years, regular price 58c. Anniversary Sale Price **49c**

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 2 to 5 years, regular price 49c. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 10 and 12 years, regular price \$1.49. Anniversary Sale Price **49c**

Women's Petticoats in black and colors, regular price 49c. Anniversary Sale Price **29c**

Women's House Dresses in all sizes, regular price 69c. Anniversary Sale Price **35c**

Children's Summer Coats, all sizes, regular price \$3.98 and \$4.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

Children's Rain Capes, sizes 6 to 14 years, colors blue and red, regular price \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

SUMMER WAISTS

Lingerie and Semi-Tailored Waists, long and short sleeves with rolling collars, made of voile with embroidered fronts, others of fine madras, good values, worth 79c. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Crepe, Voile and Muslin Waists, made of striped crepes with organdie collar and cuffs, very neat. Others in all white fancy crepes and voile, long and short sleeves with new convertible collars. Worth \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Silk Waists, of good quality Jap. Silks, in all white all over embroideries. Others in plain silk, black and white, Chin Chin silk in assorted colored stripes, very stylish, worth \$1.50. Anniversary Sale Price **88c**

Lingerie Waists, made from the latest models in all the newest materials, very smart and of excellent value, worth \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **98c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF NECKWEAR

Lace Collars, all boned, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Swiss Embroidered Collars, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Muslin Cuff and Collar Sets, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Shaded Silk Ties, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF RIBBONS

Moire and Plain Silk Ribbons, four inches wide, regular price 15c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **10c**

Silk and Satin Ribbons, five and six inches wide, regular price 19c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **12c**

Dresden and Plaid Ribbons, regular price 25c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **19c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck sleeveless, 12 1/2c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **6c**

Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless with lace bottom or cuff knee, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Women's Lisle Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 50c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Misses' Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Boys' Union Suits, low neck, short sleeves, cuff knee, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WASH GOODS

Yard Wide Percale, regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Yard Wide Manchester Percales, regular price 12 1-2c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Apron and Dress Gingham, regular price 8c. Anniversary Sale Price **6c**

Yard Wide Fancy Crepe and Voiles, short ends, regular price 25c and 39c. Anniversary Sale Price **12 1/2c**

Madras, suitable for shirts and waists, regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

Muslins and Dimities, regular price 12 1/2c. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

Fancy Pongee in all shades, regular price 12 1-2c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SILKS

36 Inch Silk Faille Poplins in all the new shades, value 59c. Anniversary Sale Price **69c**

40 Inch All Silk Poplins, in all the new shades, regular price \$1.25. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

24 Inch Fancy Brocade Poplins, evening shades and dark, regular price 59c. Anniversary Sale Price **59c**

36 Inch Black Taffeta Silk, regular price \$1.10. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

36 Inch Black Messaline, value \$1.10. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Women's Black Lisle Hose, double heel and toe, double garter top, regular 19c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, 2 PAIRS FOR **25c**

Women's Cotton Hose, black only, double soles, high spliced heels, double garter tops. A regular 15c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **9c**

Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1-1 rib, double knees, heels and toes, a 12 1/2c quality, broken lots. Anniversary Sale Price, 4 PAIRS **25c**

Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors, high spliced heels, double soles, very sheer quality, value 19c pair. Anniversary Sale Price, 2 PAIRS **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WOMEN'S GLOVES

2-Clasp Kid Gloves, Paris point embroidery in tan, gray, white and black, broken lots. A regular \$1.00 quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **63c**

Women's 16-Button Length, Silk Gloves, in black, white, pink, blue, double finger tips, regular \$1.00 quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **55c**

2-Clasp Silk Gloves in white only, double finger tips, 50c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

Women's Fine Chamis Suede Gloves, 2-clasp, white only, washable, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **19c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF BAGS

Women's Black Leather Hand Bags, fitted with purse and mirror, strap or ribbon handles in an assortment of styles, regular price 79c. Anniversary Sale Price **47c**

Women's Leather Hand Bags, made of real leather, some with leather and silk linings, large and medium sizes and fitted with purse and mirror in tan, black and navy. Values up to \$2.00. Anniversary Sale Price **79c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF TOILET GOODS

Peroxide of Hydrogen, one pound bottles, regular price 29c. Anniversary Sale Price **11c**

One Pound Boxes of Talbain Powder in violet, trailing arabus and corydopsis, regular price 15c. Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

Good-Sense Tooth Brushes, seconds of the Prophy-lac-tic, imperfections slight, regularly sold for 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Shell and Amber Hair Pins in straight and crimped, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF BELTS

Women's Silk Girdles or Suede Leather Belts in navy, copenhagen, green, cerise, brown, purple, light blue, pink and yellow, broken sizes, regular price 50c and \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **23c**

One Lot of Velvet, Suede, Elastic and Silk Girdles, values up to \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE IN OUR RUG and DRAPERY DEPT.

50c Nottingham Lace Curtains. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

49c Dutch Curtains, ready to hang. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

59c Velvet Door Mats, Anniversary Sale Price, Each **35c**

\$8 White Enamel Beds, brass trimmed. Anniversary Sale Price **\$4.95**

\$13.50 All Brass Beds, double top rails. Anniversary Sale Price **\$9.95**

\$2.50 Soft Top Mattresses, good ticking. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

\$3.00 Guaranteed National Bed Springs. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.79**

\$6.00 Drop Side Couches with mattresses and bolster. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

35c Floor Oilcloths, extra heavy quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **25c**

75c Genuine Cork Linoleums, beautiful patterns. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **49c**

25c Marquisette, cream and Arabian. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **12 1/2c**

\$25.00 Axminster Rugs, 9x12, perfect, beautiful colorings. Anniversary Sale Price **\$18.50**

\$13.50 Tapestry Rugs, 9x12. Special values. Anniversary Sale Price **\$9.95**

\$15.00 Hawkes Best All Silk Floss Mattresses. Anniversary Sale Price **\$10.95**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF DRESS GOODS

54 Inch Black and White Check, value 60c. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **49c**

54 Inch Imperial Crepe Suiting, sold up to date 89c. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **75c**

56 Inch Wool Black and White Shepherd Check, regular \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **79c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Women's Drawers with hemstitched ruffle; regular price 15c pair. Anniversary Price, Pair **10c**

Drawers of good cambric with ruffle of embroidery; regular price 25c pair. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **19c**

Corset Covers of good quality nainsook, with yoke front and back of embroidery or lace and ribbon drawn; regular price 39c. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **25c**

Corset Covers, handsomely trimmed with lace or embroidery; others made of all over embroidery; regular price 50c. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Women's Night Robes, chemise style, edged with narrow embroidery and ribbon run; regular price 39c. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Night Robes with yoke of tucks and two rows of insertion, V neck and long sleeves; regular and outsize; regular price 69c. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Long White Skirts with cluster of tucks, ruffle of embroidery and underlay; regular price 75c. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Long White Skirts with 18 inch flounce of Swiss embroidery, with or without underlay; regular price \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **69c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

1 Lot of 27 Inch Dainty Swiss Embroidery, suitable for children's dresses; regular price 59c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **25c**

45 Inch Voile Flouncing, embroidered, 27 inches, in large floral designs; regular price \$1.00 yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **50c**

Fine Batiste All over Embroidery, in small eyelet pattern; regular price \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **59c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SHEETS and PILLOW SLIPS

Fruit of the Loom Remnants, in 1 to 10 yard pieces. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

75 Dozen Pillow Slips, 42x36, never sold for less than 15c each. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **12 1/2c**

50 Dozen Pillow Slips, 42x36, all perfect goods; regular price 10c each. Anniversary Sale Price **3 FOR 25c**

60 Dozen Sheets, 72x90, regular value 49c. Anniversary Sale Price, 3 FOR **\$1.00**

TOWELS

29c Huck Towels, plain and hemstitched finish. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **17c**

Turkish Hand Towels, extra fine and heavy. Anniversary Sale Price, 3 FOR **25c**

25c Turkish Towels, full size and weight. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **17c**

TOWELING

6 1-4c Bleached Twill Cotton Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

15c All Linen Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **12 1/2c**

Huck Remnants, 12 1-2c and 15c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **8c AND 10c**

8c Bleached Cotton Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **5c**

79c Scarfs and Squares, all linen centres, heavy torcheo edge. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **50c**

An odd lot of Scarfs and Squares; regular 39c and 50c values. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF NOTIONS

Sewing Silk, 100 yards, all colors; regular price 8c. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

Hooks and Eyes, with Peets; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

John J. Clark's Spool Cotton; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

Basting Cotton, 500 yard spools; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

Pins, regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

White Tape, 10 yard pieces; regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Black and White Headed Pins; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

Collar Supporters; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

Pearl Buttons; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

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THE GERMAN REPLY

The opinion is growing in this country that the reply of the German government to the recent note of President Wilson will be conciliatory in tone. As yet no German official has given any intimation of the probable attitude of the German government, but there are many indications of a growing spirit of conciliation. At first, some of the more extreme German propagandists in this country hinted that there would be no compromise, but such is not the expectation of American public opinion.

While, at the present time, one guess is as good as another, it is most significant that with the determination of Dr. Dernburg to abandon his publicity agitations in this country comes a new attitude into that part of the press representing the more extreme German views. The last note of the German government promising a modification to the submarine war, as regards its effect on neutrals, promises a ground for agreement. There is no expectation that the American government will recede in the least from the position taken in the note, but while the absolute surrender of the German government may not be immediate, it will be advised by those who control the German policies, in all probability, rather than the return to any stand that would antagonize America still further.

It is scarcely to be expected that Germany will entirely withdraw its submarine campaign against merchant ships without an attempt at compromise, and on this point there are precedents, indicating the part to be taken by the principals. Germany will probably agree to confine its submarine attacks to war vessels, provided England modifies its blockade of German ports, permitting food to pass to the civilian population of Germany. This government may act in a friendly mediation to secure such a compromise between England and Germany, but the refusal of England to abandon a form of blockade fully justified by international law will not be taken to justify further German attacks on the persons and properties of neutrals. Pending the settlement of mooted points, the submarine activity may be withdrawn or materially reduced.

Until now, Germany has shown but little disposition to care for or enter to the opinion of the neutral world, but the effect of its further disregard must be apparent. It is one thing to ignore diplomatic representations that do not portend serious consequences, but the recent American note is of an entirely different character. Even more significant than the firmness of the note is the solidity of American loyalty to the administration, a fact that Germany cannot regard as other than a great factor in deciding on its future policy.

Until the sinking of the Lusitania, the American people, despite the opinions of individuals were neutral, and there was a disposition to look at both sides of the case, whenever there was a matter of contention between the belligerents. The Lusitania affair changed this attitude into one of national protest against Germany, and it must be apparent to those abroad and in this country who work for German success that a disregard of our firm and reasonable requests would kill Germany's chances of ever getting back into the favorable opinion of any but a slight American clique. Surely, therefore must prevail, if Germany can hope to see this nation continue neutral, and a great deal will depend on the answer of the German government to the note of the American government.

A PITIFUL CONDITION

In our local police court and in all the police courts of this commonwealth, no sight is more common than that of the habitual drunken offender who is brought before the judge time after time without a hope of regeneration. Sometimes it is a young man all of whose manliness is debased and whose will is paralyzed; again, it is one in middle age, possibly the father or mother of a large family, but it is saddest when the offender is an aged man or an aged woman who has none of the natural sanctity of age but whose unhappy life has been spent between the jail and the gutter. Almost every day reveals this condition and reveals the inadequacy of the present law to cope with it.

The average police court judge whose nature has not been hardened by his connection with the criminal side of humanity must be distressed at the sight of the habitual drunkard. The judge may have hopes of deterring the first, second or third offender, but what hope is there when the culprit has been up for sentence twenty, thirty or fifty times. All one can hope to do is to put them away from temptation for some reasonable time, realizing that while that the end of their sentence will see their return to their old habits and the prisoner's pen.

There is a timely need for some agency other than that of the police court for the regeneration of the habitual drunkard. If the men or women have gone so far that they cannot resist temptation, they should be regarded as incurable and kept somewhere in kindly keeping, away from the gratification of their passion for drink. Often prisoners in court ask for a prison sentence in order to get the craving out of their system, recognizing their powerlessness to fight a foe that has destroyed their power of resistance. Surely one in this condition cannot rightly be regarded as a criminal, and the law that would regard him as such is unjust.

The suggestion has been made from time to time that the state should erect an institution for the treatment of habitual inebriates, regarding their frailty as a disease rather than a crime. There is certainly need for such an institution, which would meet the demands of humanity without defeating the ends of justice.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION

It is very gratifying to find that there is but a negligible attempt at the present time to make political capital out of the business situation. Whether due to the uselessness of the attempt, or the realization of our good fortune in being fairly prosperous at a time of such universal misery, certain it is that the country is a unit in talking, thinking and boasting general optimism. Even the ultra-conservative trade and financial journals vie with each other in the bright prospects which they draw for the immediate American future.

Not the least significant indication of prosperity was the recent crop re-

port of the United States government. Our department of agriculture declared that the prospects are better than they have been for the past ten years. This, coupled with the fact that the time demand will probably be far in excess of the usual, presages a condition of general prosperity that will be felt in every strata of American life. With this report come reports of larger railroad earnings, fewer idle freight cars, increased production in our large industries, heavy bank clearings and every other straw that indicates the way the wind is blowing. The industrial and financial world is so confident of the outlook that even such momentous things as the sinking of the Lusitania and the resultant agitation did not materially affect the markets. Prospects of peace would tend to make conditions still better, but even the prolongation of war will not now imperil our business situation.

Speaking in Boston last week, Secretary Redfield took up the question of exports and imports since the framing of the new tariff to prove that the present law was a favorable factor in keeping down prices and preventing panic during the early days of the war. The war did not permit of a fair comparison with the statistics of other years, but the prosperity that continued here during the most trying days and the many complexities of a critical time answer the selfish charges of anybody who would strive to make political capital out of the existing situation.

A SUNDAY WALK

Away from the city they went on Sunday, two pedestrians who had become weary of the ominous bulletins, the glaring headlines, the atmosphere of unrest, the "white way" agitations and all the many things that tire the brain and fill the heart with sadness. Away they went—not very far—but far enough to find the heights "where God is winding His lovely horn." The memories of the things they found and re-found will help them tide over another week of the city with its "building and spoiling and spoiling and building again."

What did they find? Paths that led through lush grass, sprinkled with thousands upon thousands of violets, apple trees in bloom, white and pink like brides, scarlet tangerines like living flames, nests of growing ferns like children's crochets, a sober ground-hog that dived into his cool home on the approach of intruders, brooks that rippled over the stones in matchless harmony, branches of wild cherry trees with fragrant blossoms, a turtle that came to a big splash, cool woodland fountains of such universal misery, certain it is that the country is a unit in talking, thinking and boasting general optimism. Even the ultra-conservative trade and financial journals vie with each other in the bright prospects which they draw for the immediate American future.

One find merits special attention. Pedestrian number one went to a little hollow for three especially beautiful wood violets, when wh-r-r-r! two feet away rose a speckled pheasant with startling suddenness. There in

the hollow—place a secret—lay a nest with seventeen dusky eggs. Then back through the greenest green grass that ever grew, with a bunch of violets, surrounded with maiden-hair fern, several Japanese-looking branches, with foamy blossom clusters and memories of delights that are never found near Merrimack square.

ITALY

The Italian government is generally supposed to be striving for continued neutrality in the face of popular opposition—at least until the events of war are favorable for Italy's entry into the conflict. The war party, headed by Premier Salandra, has chafed under this continued procrastination of the king and his advisers and matters were brought to a head by the resignation of the Salandra cabinet. Had the resignation been accepted there would in all probability have been widespread popular disaffection and disturbance, but that has been averted by the refusal of the king to accept the resignation. Italy is now nearer war than at any time since last August and Austria and Germany seem to have abandoned all hope of protracting diplomatic negotiations further. It is, therefore, more than probable that Italy will be with the allies before many days—or, perhaps, hours. The temperamental Italian people have burned with the desire to wrest from Austria the provinces that Italy has long desired, and since peace will not give them the prize, they favor war. Italy will probably soon taste the excitements and the attendant miseries of the greatest struggle which the world has seen, but her entry into the war—unless it causes complications in the Balkan belt—will be a great stroke

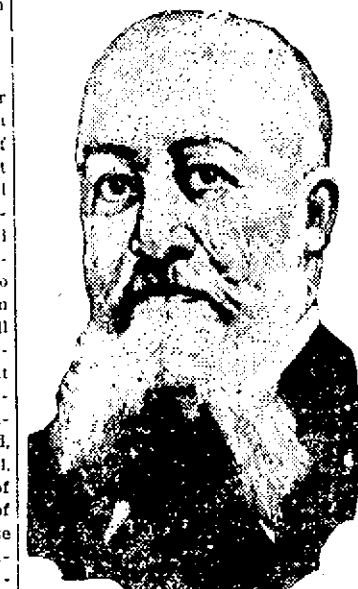
for those opposed to the dual empire of Turkey. The war will serve to heal many domestic wounds in Italy and unite the Italian people in the struggle against an ancient enemy. It will hasten the end of the war as Austria will be obliged to withdraw her armies from the eastern front to prevent an Italian invasion.

A NEUTRAL CONGRESS

Entirely aside from the rights or wrongs of the present war, there is a movement in this country in favor of a great neutral conference of protest against the disregard of international law. Since the beginning of the struggle, human rights have been trampled on as never before, and the best interests of neutral nations—hitherto held sacred in all wars—have been trampled ruthlessly under foot. All neutral powers have protested, strongly or weakly as the case may be, but the answer to the protests was a reversion to larger crimes. As this nation is the greatest neutral nation, and, in fact, the only powerful neutral, many Americans favor the calling of a great international conference of neutrals to make common cause against warfare that infringes on neutral rights. Unfortunately there is little ground for hope that the resolutions or protests there formulated would be needed, but the moral influence, nevertheless, might have some part in operating for the cessation of a war that will leave its blight upon the winners as well as the losers. One of the greatest arguments against the abandonment of neutrality by this country is that such a course would nullify our ministrations as peacemaker, should the blessed occasion arise in the near future.

GERMAN NAVY CHIEF

REPORT THAT ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ HAD RESIGNED DENIED



ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ.

BERLIN, May 18.—The story that Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, German navy chief and originator of the submarine warfare idea, has resigned because of the sinking of the Lusitania, is denied here. The story originally was given out in Copenhagen.

SHOT THROUGH THE HEART

LEBANON, N. H., May 18.—Samuel Speed committed suicide during the night by shooting himself through the heart with a shotgun. The body was discovered at 4 o'clock yesterday morning by his son-in-law, Hart Craud, lying face down a short distance from the house in a path leading to a spring.

QUART OF WHISKY KILLS

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 18.—Dr. Maurice Watson, medical referee for Hillsboro county, was called to South Weare yesterday to investigate the death of Ruel Page.

An autoist took Page into his car Sunday and after giving him a ride is said to have given him a quart of whisky. The man is said to have entered a barn and drunk the contents of the bottle and to have fallen into a stupor from which he never roused.

COLD WAVE COMING

BOSTON, May 18.—The weather bureau last night announced that following yesterday's rain and drizzle a miniature cold wave was shaping its course for Boston and New England and that by tomorrow night frosts may be expected in the unprotected and inland lowlands.

Two women sculptors, Miss Janet Scudder and Mary Evelyn H. Lozeman, of New York, are entered in the list of \$10,000 a year bread-winners.

IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

REMOVING MOTOR DUST

These are the days when the call of the motor is strongest on the city streets, and in the highways and byways of the country and it behooves every woman to give particular care to her wind swept, dust soaked face.

To the woman who makes much of the advice to give her skin the chamomile treatment. The skin is warmed with a hot towel and is then covered with real cream, though cold cream may be used if more convenient. Of any good and cleansing skin food, this is spread upon the face and while moist is rubbed off with a prepared chamomile leather.

To prepare the leather take a strip about eight inches wide and eighteen inches long and wet it with warm water. Wring it out, and while it is still moist rub soap into it, using the best toilet variety. Rub the whole chamomile wet with the soap until it is lathered, then hang it up to dry, when it will be soft and fine and ready for use upon the skin.

The way to polish the face with a

chamomile leather closely resembles the polishing of the toe of a shoe. The chamomile leather is taken by its ends and swept well across the face, using as much force as possible. By this vigorous exercise the skin is made fine, clean and soft.

A powerful factor in treating the complexion is the collar. If it is worn loose the face will be much clearer in tone than if it is worn tight. A tight collar will make the veins in the neck swell and will redden the nose. Sometimes the mere loosening of the collar will change a poor skin into a good one.

A remedy that is severe but effective in certain cases of dust-covered complexions consists of a cut line squeezed into half a cup of water. Half a teaspoonful of borax is added to this, and the whole is rubbed upon the face, only to be mopped off immediately with the softest of cold cream.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed at the city clerk's office since the last were published:

Antonio E. Ramallo, 8 Molloy's court, 22, operative; Maria Silva, 166 Charles, 15, operative.

Achille D. Batis, 255 Market, 25, operative; Victoria D. Theodora, 395 Market, 25, operative.

Vasilios Iatrou, 166 Suffolk, 27, operative; Maria Geka, 172 Suffolk, 23, operative.

Peter Bishop, (widowed), 21 Pond, 57, bobbin shop; Margaret E. Roberts, 21 Pond, 36, housework.

John E. Higgins, 45 Cross, 20, wire straightener; Ellen Theresa Kelly, 172 Grand, 17, cooper.

William T. Neal, Jr., 308 Thorndike, 24, carder; Rose E. Lawton, 36 Mead, 19, winer.

Andrius Roumlia, 169 Charles, 23, operative; Stefania Iuravizinka, 1 Corbett place, 29, operative.

Jan Jakubus, 25 Front, 22, weaver; Karolina Polchlopek, 24 Stackpole, 23, weaver.

Arthur Lapointe, 37 Campaw, 20, sawmiller; Blanche R. Cossette, 59 Sutherland, 21, member.

Dana C. Bacheider, Raymond, N. H., 39, cook; Grace E. Rivers, (widowed), Hooksett, N. H., 41, housekeeper.

Charles Roy, 192 Cross, 41, painter; Elwina Larochele, 155 Ludlum, 28, room girl.

James A. Steinberg, 110 Howard, 28, leather merchant; Elsie Chalfone, Webster, Mass., 23, at home.

Raymond, 140 Moody, 21, laborer; Delina Torant, 153 Hall, 12, operative; Michael Hertzog, 16 Brookings, 25, laborer; Apollina Wierock, 23 Amory, 20, operative.

George Lazaropoulos, 453 Market, 50, operative; Maria Linadake, 423 Suffolk, 23, operative.

Patrick Francis Higgins, 157 Cross, 28, fruit dealer; Catherine Bamford, 62 Main, 28, at home.

Francis Harnanikas, 33 Davidson, 35, tanner; Karalia Maslukute, 75 Davidson, 21, operative.

Roy H. Harder, (widowed), 35 Riverside, 34, machinist helper; Edith Hayes, (widowed), 55 Riverside, 53, operative.

Manuel Perry, Cambridge, 23, auto assembler; Josephine Frances Flannery, 25 West Fourth, 26, cloth folder.

Erwin Strobel, 55 Brad, 24, sausage maker; Helena Falkstein, 152 Lakeview ave., 18, cooper.

John H. Freyette, (widowed), Fall River, Mass., 67, carpenter; Josephine Dabois, (widowed), 29 Willie, 36, laundress.

Francis Dominic Harding, Concord, N. H., 26, merchant; Louise Gibson, 85 Eleventh, 23, at home.

Joao E. da Silva, 20 Charles, 20, operative; Maria da Silva, 80 Molloy's court, 15, operative.

Jan Kurek, 11 Lakeview Avenue, 24, laborer; Anna Jucha, 15 W. Fourth, 12, weaver.

Harry Erickson, 10 Moore, 27, machinist; Alice E. Norton, 241 Chelmsford, 24, stenographer.

Henry A. Dorris, 10 Lombard, 25, machinist; Josephine F. Buckley, 47 Floyd, 24, at home.

John H. Merrill, (divorced), Grassmere, N. H., 42, hotel employee; Hattie F. Webber, Grassmere, N. H., 42, dressmaker.

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Fairgrove, James, Tewksbury, Mass.
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FLAG DAY MEETING. Nearly every patriotic organization of the city was represented at the meeting of the flag day committee held last evening in the mayor's reception room at city hall. It was reported by a sub-committee that the school pupils were willing to assist in the work and help sell small flags. About 10,000 flags have been ordered and will reach here Thursday. The pupils and others will be stationed on all the downtown streets on Saturday, May 22, to sell the flags.



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RAIN HALTS SCHEDULE

Game at Fitchburg Cancelled—
Manager Barrows' Club a Big
Factor in Gate Receipts

"Well, boys, there's another game we lost today," said Manager Barrows yesterday morning when he learned that the Fitchburg management had called off the game. "We have beaten that Noonan outfit as sure as you're alive."

The rest of the club seemed to share Barrows' optimistic feeling, and more pep and ginger were shown around the baseball office than upon any previous occasion this season. It begins to look as though the local team had found itself at last and intended to get down to business and win ball games.

Down Post Tomorrow
Tomorrow Lowell takes leave of us for a week. The local club will make its first trip of the season to Lewiston and Portland, and will be gone until Sunday. Wednesday and Thursday will be spent in arguments over a decision at Lewiston, while Friday and Saturday Hugo Duffy will send his fans chasing after the boys.

If the club breaks even during its Maine tour, it will be a success. Both the Lewiston and Portland grounds are built for the home clubs, the visiting aggregations not being wise to the vagaries of waxy a dip and dimple in the playing surface. So with the odds against 'em an even break will do.

Barrows' Big Factor
Manager Guke Barrows is going to be a big factor in local baseball history this season. He has shown this to be true already.

During the past week a business man told me that he had not been to Spaulding park in two years but that he was going to take a trip out there and take a look at Barrows. "They say he is a terrible hitter," he said. That afternoon Barrows lifted the ball to a remote corner of the park for a home, winning the game for Lowell in the ninth, and previous to this drove out two long triplets and single. The Lowell Baseball club made a disciple right there, and Barrows' stick has undoubtedly brought many another new face to the park.

Lawrence Hitting
That Lawrence team has started to hit. Perhaps, as somebody said, it will start to lose. The down-river club went along with mighty few sacrifices for the first week or so yet it brought home the long end of the score sheet in one contest Lawrence scored four runs without a hit.

But if Lawrence continues to hit and also keeps up its fielding and inside baseball maneuvers Joe Sullivan's boys will be hard to stop.



MANAGER BARROWS.

ding, over in Worcester because his mound artists are going badly. Even reliable Van Dyke has broke in horribly. The clever southpaw seems to have lost his stuff this season.

If Burckett's pitchers ever get to working in form Worcester will be right there with a rush. Jesse himself

is rapidly recovering his former famous poise and has treated out his uniform. The Worcester leader had a severe attack of pneumonia a few months ago and was not feeling very husky when the season opened. But look out for Burckett from now on.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Hosford piloted by Walter Murray met defeat Saturday at the hands of the Libens, by the score of 10 to 9 in a loose game. Someone suggested that Murray use his new auto when he attempted to steal third in the sixth inning for he was caught off third by over two yards. Murray is willing to stack his knees against any of the so-called champions and he avers his aggregation will be heard from before the season is over.

The Ewars defeated the strong North Chelmsford Juniors Saturday, by the score of 14 to 2. This makes three straight games without defeat. Saturday, May 22, the Ewars will christen their new suits by playing the Burnside Juniors for two quarter balls on the Wood street grounds.

The lucky nine of East Chelmsford defeated the Young Buckhorns by a score of 12 to 10 Saturday. We would like to arrange a game with the Chelmsford High.

The Indians defeated the Chestnuts Saturday by the score of 9 to 0. The Indians are better ball players.

The Burnside Juniors defeated the West Fairs Saturday, May 15, by the score of 11 to 5. The Burnside would like to arrange games with any 15-16 year old team in the city, the Emeralds, Athletics or Iroquois preferred. Send all challenges to J. Mann, 225 Walker street, city.

The Richmonds beat Meenan's Pets or Swampscotts, 25 to 2, Saturday on the South common. It was some game.

The Pawtucketville Blues defeated the Walker A. C. by the score 5 to 6. The lineup: Whaley, c; Lynch, 1b; Busan, 2b; St. Clait, 3b; Casey, 2b; Cryan, 3b; Garin, 4b; Francis, cf; Haloran, if.

There will be a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock. Managers are requested to be present. There are two more teams needed.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England
All games postponed, rain.

American
At Cleveland: Boston-Cleveland, rain.
At Chicago: Chicago 6, Philadelphia 2.
At St. Louis: Washington 3, St. Louis 2.
At Detroit: New York-Detroit, cold.

National
At Boston: Pittsburgh-Boston, rain.
At New York: Chicago-New York, rain.
At Brooklyn: Cincinnati-Brooklyn, rain.
At Philadelphia: Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 4.

Federal
At Chicago: Chicago 5, Baltimore 5 (10 innings).
At Kansas City: Brooklyn 7, Kansas City 5.
At Pittsburgh: Newark-Pittsburgh, wet grounds.

Giants' Hopes Take Boost With
Return of Mathewson to FormCHRISTY MATHEWSON
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NEW YORK, May 18.—Everybody knows "Big Six" and everybody who knows him is his admirer and a loyal rooter for him individually regardless of team sympathy. In view of this fact the announcement that the great and only Christopher has at last arrived at his best form—is fit, in other words—will be received with general acclamation. Matty got off to a bad start this season, so bad, in fact, that he lost his first four starts, and even his most ardent admirers admitted, reluctantly, 'tis true, that their favorite had started on the down grade at last, that he was going the route of all good pitchers, that he was passing, in fact. But Matty did not share their gloomy views. He admitted he was bad, but said that with the arrival of

real baseball weather his arm would limber up and he would be as good as he ever was. With the advent of baseball weather what Matty predicted came to pass. On his fifth start of the season he registered his first win of the season. That he will win many more is as sure as fate, and that he will again be the mainstay of the McGrawites is surer, if such could be possible.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Lawrence	10	2	.533
Manchester	7	5	.583
Portland	6	5	.545
Worcester	7	5	.538
Lowell	6	6	.500
Lynn	4	8	.333
Fitchburg	4	8	.333
Lewiston	4	8	.333
American League	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	16	8	.667
Detroit	13	11	.542
Boston	13	9	.591
Chicago	17	12	.588
Washington	12	14	.462
Cleveland	11	15	.423
Philadelphia	9	17	.346
St. Louis	10	19	.344
Federal League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburgh	13	11	.542
Newark	14	12	.538
Chicago	17	12	.588
Kansas City	15	13	.538
Brooklyn	14	14	.500
St. Louis	12	14	.462
Baltimore	10	15	.400
Buffalo	8	21	.276
National League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	17	8	.680
Chicago	15	11	.577
Boston	13	12	.520
Pittsburgh	13	11	.540
Brooklyn	12	14	.462
Cincinnati	11	11	.500
New York	10	14	.417
St. Louis	12	17	.414

GAMES TOMORROW

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Lynn at Lawrence.
Manchester at Worcester.
Fitchburg at Worcester.

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Here is some food for local fans to digest—and it is bitter food at that. Lowell is at present leading the league in runs scored, in the team batting averages, in number of hits made and also in total bases. And

	g	ab	r	h	tb	3b	hr	sh	sf	pc	po	a	pc
Lowell	11	355	68	122	413	3	4	10	18	0	21	130	159
Portland	11	352	37	85	112	8	2	4	13	0	24	273	127
Fitchburg	11	357	12	53	137	16	4	0	11	7	4	233	140
Lynn	11	356	54	81	107	5	2	2	29	14	3	230	253
Lewiston	11	358	56	83	112	14	4	3	8	17	0	218	309
Worcester	12	394	62	85	116	21	3	1	13	14	1	216	336
Manchester	11	358	41	69	89	6	7	0	7	18	1	153	297

they have done all this and are still in the second division.

The only chance for encouragement in this summary of baseball facts is that the team continues to hit savagely. Manager Zani's pile bounces off the timbers of the Barrowsites with undiminished frequency.

Hits have been thrown away and runs given the go-by on many occasions. On Saturday's game the club looked like eight individual players with an automatic pitcher in the box. However, if the club keeps up the pace it set Saturday for baseball success, everybody will be delighted. In fact a trifle slower brand of baseball would be acceptable for the team played wonderful ball at times against the Fairs.

The table of figures showing the team batting and fielding follows:

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CORNELL CREW

Oarsmen From Ithaca
Appear to Have the
Best College Boat

PRINCETON, N. J., May 18.—I followed the Princeton crew one afternoon with Guy Nickalls, in his automobile. Immediately afterward I went with Mr. Nickalls on the Princeton coaching launch and saw Yale do her final practice. Then John Hoyle took me aboard to see Cornell's work.

Thus in a short hour and a half I saw more polished crew rowing than has ever come to my lot. Yale, with all three are working on diametrically opposite lines. Nickalls is sticking to the orthodox English stroke and rhythm, while Cornell and Princeton are more rounded out. As usual Courtney has his men wonderfully well together. They run one part of the stroke into the next with wheel-like continuity as the others don't, and thus I liked Cornell a bit the best. Courtney has shortened Cornell's stroke for this race. The swing past the perpendicular is perceptibly less. Princeton's is longer, but shorter than Yale's.

Cornell will go away from the firm at the highest stroke probably at 44; Princeton will strike 42 and Yale, from what I have seen, 40. Princeton and Yale will row no deliberately for the short mile and seven-eighths course, while Cornell will sprint out into the lead at the beginning and it will be hard work for the others to overhaul her. Yale has the hardest catch of the lot in the beginning, but both Cornell and Princeton have more kick and drive at the very end of the stroke, which of course means speed between strokes.

Probably no better three strokesmen

ever lined up to start than those who will make the pace today. Putnam of Princeton, Moore of Yale and Andrus of Cornell are a trio such as we have not had in decades.

Yale's weak point is at bow. He is far from smooth and continually looks out of the boat. Cornell's No. 5 man is very stiff and has comparatively no swing. This will militate against the Ithacans' chances.

Both Princeton and Yale have a hand's breadth or more space between the hands or the oars. Nickalls, of Cornell's men grip the oars with the hands close together. This gives decidedly more leverage, and thus foot pounds, toward putting the boat in motion.

I have never been boats travel on such even keels as the three varsity boats here keep. And even keels spell speed. There was no betting that night, but, as usual, I tried the round robin with the following results: All Yale heelsers say, "Well, I like Princeton." Princeton is positive that she can put it over on Yale and there are Cornellians in town who are sure that their crew will not be headed at any stage of the race.

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	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston Elevated	78	77	78
Bos & N.H.	33 1/2	33	33 1/2
N Y & N.H.	62 3/4	62 1/2	62 3/4
MINING			
Alaska Gold	34	33	33 1/2
Almont	54	53	53
Alton	54	52 1/2	53 1/2
American zinc	39 1/4	37 1/2	38 1/2
Armadillo	10 1/2	9 1/2	9 3/4
Ariz Can	64	61	62
Ariz & Super	62 1/2	61	62 1/2
Cal & Ariz	64 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Cal & Hecla	57 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2
Chino	42 1/2	42	42 1/2
Copper Range	55	54	54 1/2
D. Butte	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Franklin	10 1/2	10	10 1/4
Granby	52 1/2	50	51 1/2
Great Consol	22	21 1/2	22
Greenock	20 1/2	19 1/2	19 3/4
Indiana	8	8	8
Id. Royalty	25	24 1/2	25 1/2
Isle	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/2
Mass	14	13 1/2	13 1/2
Miami	24	23 1/2	23 1/2
Michigan	70	68 1/2	68 1/2
Monte	11 1/2	11	11 1/2
Nipissing	6 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
North Butte	32	31	31 1/2
N. Lake	3	3	3
Osage	7 1/2	7	7 1/2
Oswego	50 1/2	47	48
Quincy	56	54	54
Ran Con	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Revere	10 1/2	10	10 1/2
Shannon	9	8 1/2	8 1/2
Superior	29 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Superior & Boston	37 1/2	36	36 1/2
Tenneco	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Trinity	3 1/2	3	3 1/2
U S Smelting	35 1/2	33	34 1/2
U S Smelting pf.	44 1/2	43	44 1/2
Utah Cons	10 1/2	10	10 1/2
Winona	4	3 1/2	3 1/2
Wolverine	58	60 1/2	57
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel.	113 1/4	119	119 1/4
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Ag Chem pf.	91 1/4	91 1/2	91 1/4
Mass Gas	70	70	70
Pond Creek	14 1/2	13 1/2	14 1/2
Swift & Co.	168	168	168
United Fruit	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
United Sm	58 1/2	58	58 1/2
United Sh M pf.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
MONEY MARKET			
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MASS. FIRE LOSS

BOSTON, May 17.—Losses by fire in Massachusetts during the year 1914

according to statistics made public by the state police today. More than half of the local was due to the conflagration in Salem on June 25.

VILLA'S BROTHER SHOT

MINOR COMMANDER AND SEVEN MEN KILLED AS RESULT OF POLITICAL DISPUTE

EL PASO, Texas, May 17.—General Antonio Villa, a minor commander and a brother of the northern leader, was shot through the head and seven men were killed among them some Villa officers as the result of a political dispute in a public place at Chihuahua City last night, according to reports reaching here today.

SPOKE IN BILLERICA

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers addressed a large gathering of operatives of the Talbot mills in North Billerica a noon yesterday speaking on "Organization." He also urged the operatives to attend the convention of woolen spinners to be held in Trades & Labor hall tomorrow night.

after 7 o'clock. The commission was to have organized yesterday but Commissioner Harris notified the mayor that Commissioner Richey was sick and could not attend a meeting today.

THE MEMORIAL BUILDING

Commissioner Putnam stated yesterday that it had been decided not to include a public hall in the reconstruction of the Memorial building, and that the old line of the building will be followed to that externally, at least. The building will be almost exactly the same as the old building. There will be some change, however, on the inside. The building will be used for the same purposes as heretofore.

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WHITE WAY CELEBRATION

Board of Trade Arranges Program and Invites City Officials—Big Lowell Day Planned

The final arrangements for the big celebration to be held in this city on the evening of May 26 in conjunction with the opening of the great white way were completed at a meeting of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade, which was held late yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the organization in Central street, and according to plans the event will be a notable one in the history of the Spindle City.

The chief center of attraction will be Monument square, where a large platform will be erected on the steps of city hall, from which the mayor will throw on the "juice" in all the new lights with the exception of those from Colburn street to Cabot street in Merrimack street and from the railroad station in Middlesex street to McIntire street. These sections will be ready at a later date and it is believed the business men of the districts will arrange for celebrations of their own.

According to plans a brass band will give a concert at city hall and when the signal to throw on the current will be given by means of red fire, the band will strike up the "Star Spangled Banner" and the large audience will sing the national hymn.

The members of the board of trade will gather at their quarters on that night and as soon as darkness sets in they will board automobiles and headed by a brass band will go through the illuminated section. The mayor and other members of the municipal council will be invited to take part in the parade. The route of the parade will be from the corner of Central and Middle streets to Merrimack street, to city hall. Then back to Central, Middlesex as far as the railroad station, counterturn to Central, Gorham, Little Appleton, Central, Prescott, Merrimack and Bridge as far as the bridge.

The plans for the Lowell day event, which will occupy almost the whole day are also completed and arrangements have been made for special electric cars to leave the surrounding cities and towns in the forenoon and afternoon and it is hoped to keep the large crowd in this city until after the formal opening of the white way. Aviator William S. Luckey has been hired to do aerial stunts at 12.30 and 6.30 p. m. and while in the air the aviator will drop "bombs" which will contain valuable orders for goods at local stores. The visitors will be given free return tickets providing they purchase \$2 worth of goods in Lowell stores.

OPENING AT LAKEVIEW

SELECTMEN OF DRACUT GRANT SUNDAY LICENSES TO THE BAY STATE RAILWAY COMPANY

Despite the fact that the residents of Collinsville have petitioned the board of selectmen not to grant a Sunday license for Lakeview to the Bay State Street Railway Co. until the company agrees to issue free transfers on the Lakeview avenue line as far as the junction of Mammoth road, the company at the last meeting of the town officials received all the permits necessary to carry on its business at the park in former years.

The petitioners were given a hearing some time ago, but before they heard the selectmen held a conference with the officials of the railroad company so that at their last meeting they were in a position to decide the question, for they had heard both sides of the argument. The permits were granted with the understanding that all places of amusement, etc., must be closed not later than 12 p. m.

The slaughtering establishments of the town were given notice that they are now only allowed to kill on three half-days a week, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays this being the result of the severe cut in the annual appropriation for the inspection of meats which was reduced to \$500, the amount granted last year being \$1011. It is believed a special meeting will be called very soon to remove this restriction.

TRAMPS BURNED TO DEATH
NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., May 18.—At least five tramps were burned to death yesterday when a Missouri Pacific freight train was wrecked.

Two carloads of silver bullion melted as a result of the intense heat caused by the explosion and burning of the contents of 10 oil tanks. The heat made the rescue of the imprisoned men impossible. The bullion ran into a field near the track.

Atlantic Fleet Eager for the Great Naval War Game

NEW YORK, May 18.—Naval activity succeeded a week of social and naval functions on board the warships of the Atlantic fleet early today when the signal was flashed from Admiral Fletcher's flagship, the Wyoming, to prepare to go to sea. Stragglers on shore hurried on board the various warships as launches were swung upon davits and everything was stowed in preparation for the trip to Newport where the fleet was to rendezvous. Eager for the great naval war game and refreshed by a long rest in port the sailors viewed the prospect of another cruise with delight. Lying off the statue of liberty was the naval yacht Mayflower with President Wilson and a party of government officials on board, waiting to review the four mile line of fighting craft. On shore thousands of spectators gathered to witness the spectacle.

The storm which had rendered uncomfortable the festivities of the president's review yesterday had cleared away and there was a prospect that the farewell review might take place under clear skies.

In order to give the battleships the advantage of an outgoing tide the hour of departure had been changed from 9.30 a. m. until 10.15 a. m.

The fleet is due off Newport at midnight on Wednesday to take up its part in the naval game which begins at that hour and will attempt to check an attack from an "enemy" fleet seeking a landing on the Atlantic seaboard anywhere from Boston, N. H. to Cape Hatteras.

The Mayflower was to leave for Washington today.

SUNDAY DECLINES CALL FORESTERS' CONVENTION

INVITED TO ENGLAND TO AID IN PROHIBITION FIGHT—THE RAIN SPOILS MINISTERS' GAME

PATERSON, May 18.—Intermittent rain and a muddy field clunged Billy Sunday's ball-playing plans yesterday and prevented him from getting into the first time since he laid aside the uniform of the Chicago Nationals.

Billy had hoped to play center field for a team of ministers against a newspapermen's nine for charity yesterday afternoon and Cardiff and Hobbins were to have filled in for the ministers, too. But Billy promised to play later in the week if the game could be arranged.

Incidentally Billy made it known that he will not go to England to lead the prohibition fight, as he was invited to do. He told newspapermen he was adverse to talking on temperance unless incidental to a religious revival. Billy thinks the church is not backing up the liquor fight with enough energy.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES
A delegation of twenty members of the Y. M. C. A., headed by Frank J. Van Greenberg, Sigmund Rostler and Leo Cohen, motored to Ayer last Sunday afternoon to meet the three boys of this city who are on the hike to "Frisco." The three boys left Ayer last night for Clinton.

DIED OF BROKEN HEART
BOSTON, May 18.—Grief over the death of his wife, who passed away Saturday, is said to have been the cause of the sudden death yesterday morning of Edward C. Winther, aged 69, at his home, 414 East 7th street, South Boston. He was found dead in bed and Medical Examiner MacArthur, who was called, said, after hearing the particulars, that Mr. Winther died of a broken heart.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrimack street.



JAMES J. GALLAGHER, Past Grand Chief Ranger. WILLIAM H. STAFFORD, Grand Secretary.

Lowell Courts Well Represented at Springfield—List of the Local Delegations Attending

Seven of the eight local courts of Foresters of America were represented at the opening of the 27th annual convention of the grand court of Massachusetts, which took place at 3 o'clock this forenoon in the Cooley house, Springfield. The length of the convention depends upon the amount of business to be transacted and it is thought that this year's meeting will occupy at least two days.

Grand Chief Ranger Joseph M. Guise of Chicago is presiding.

Court General Shields of this city is not represented at the convention by delegates according to the official list given out by the grand court. Besides the regular delegates chosen by the different courts, James J. Gallagher of this city is attending as past grand chief ranger and William H. Stafford as grand secretary.

Much business pertaining to the progress of the order will be discussed this afternoon and evening and tomorrow. Tomorrow the annual election of officers will take place and William H. Stafford is a candidate for re-election to the office of grand secretary.

The official list of delegates from the local courts is as follows:

Court Merrimack, No. 11: John F. Hendricks, J. W. Sharkey, Charles L. Marren, Owen O'Neill and Thomas F. Kelley.

Court Middlesex, No. 23: Edward Brick, Daniel H. Quinn and John H. Condon.

Court City of Lowell, No. 30: Patrick McGilly and Thomas E. O'Dea.

Court Samuel de Champlain, No. 42: Joseph Sabourin and George Ouellette.

Court Waresit, No. 51: William A. Kelley.

Court Scandia, No. 182: Nels Nelson.

Court General Dimon, No. 217: Mayor Murphy and Stephen Breen.

NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Rep. Jewett Urges Passage of Boston & Maine Bill—Film Bill Engrossed

BOSTON, May 18.—The state house of representatives began yesterday afternoon the discussion of the bill for reorganizing the Boston & Maine railroad and was still talking on it at adjournment. The debate will go on today. Mr. Cross of Royalston opened with a motion that when the bill came up the house should as a committee of the whole invite George W. Anderson, George L. Maybury, Tax Commissioner Treffy and C. W. Croker to address the committee.

Messrs. Sawyer of Ware, Lyle of Gloucester and Atwood of Lowell favored the motion. Sherburne of Brookline, Edmund of Somerville and Washburn of Worcester opposed, and the motion was defeated, 27 to 57, on a rising vote, a rollcall being refused.

The debate was disappointing. Although several long speeches were made, they furnished little light on either side, but were given up chiefly to a recital of events which led to the existing railroad conditions in New England. The house paid scant attention, several members who had clamored the longest for information spending most of the afternoon in the lobbies and retiring room.

Mr. Jewett of Lowell, house chairman of the committee on railroads, outlined the serious condition of the Boston & Maine and predicted that the road would probably go into the hands of a receiver unless the bill was passed. He said the opposition was wholly destructive.

Mr. Sawyer of Ware urged nine amendments. Mr. Atwood of Boston spoke for 30 minutes against the bill, dwelling particularly on the Hampden road. Mr. E. P. McLaughlin of Boston said he believed some bill should be passed, but balked on the Hampden railroad section. Mr. Washburn of Worcester favored the bill and Mr. Gihlin of Boston opposed it.

Mr. Bothfield of Newton said just before adjournment that he hoped to be able to offer today a Hampden section which would be satisfactory to all concerned.

Judge Knowlton and other trustees of the Boston & Maine had seats in the gallery during the debate. Mrs.

Cox, the wife of the speaker, also was an attentive listener. It was her first visit to the house since her marriage. By a vote of 130 to 57 the house concurred with the senate in amendments to the bill apportioning the cost of the new Wellington bridge.

Mr. L. J. Sullivan of Boston offered an order directing the attorney-general to investigate the supply of ice; the order went over to today.

In the Senate

The state senate yesterday passed to be engrossed the bill commonly known as the "Birth of a Nation" bill, creating the mayor and police commissioner of Boston and the chief justice of the municipal court as a board to pass on theatrical licenses in this city with one amendment, that a majority of the board shall control its act. The house bill required that the board must be unanimous before it could suspend licenses.

Notice was received from the house that it insisted on its amendments to the physician's registration and the mechanics' liens bills. Pres. Coolidge appointed committees of conference.

The bill to authorize the directors of the port of Boston to build a street railway from the fish pier to Summer street, was passed to be engrossed.

The report of the committee on fisheries and game, referring to the next general court the recommendation of the commission on economy and efficiency, was accepted without debate.

The committee on mercantile affairs reported a bill based on the petition of W. D. T. Treffy, to revise the charter of the Massachusetts Loan company and to confirm its acts.

The committee on the judiciary filed five bills: one providing that companies which place insurance under the Workmen's Compensation act shall establish a bureau to gather statistics and other information and to establish and adjust premium rates, and the others cover technical phases of liability insurance.

Speaker Cox the Host

With great success, Speaker Channing H. Cox last evening revived the practice of four standing, though abandoned in recent years—of dining the house committee on rules and the chairman of the other house committees. Included in the invitation, too, were the political reporters of the Boston newspapers.

Statesmen and scribes motored from Beacon hill shortly after 5 p. m. to the Belmont Spring Country club, where there was feasting and merriment. No set program clouded the sun of gaiety, but there was much informal speaking, thus restoring the ante-prorogation house dinner as a tradition of the commonwealth.

Joint Committee Dines

The joint legislative committee on roads and bridges held a dinner at the Quincy house last night attended by several pleasing features. With the exception of Senator Julius Garst of Worcester, who was ill, the full committee was present with Senator Hays presiding.

The features were the presentation of a silk hat and hat box to Chairman Hays, a silver-mounted and engraved cane to House Chairman Harry C. Foster of Gloucester, and a fountain

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

An epidemic of influenza has incapacitated thousands of factory workers in Manchester, Eng.

Labor leaders recently ordered striking milk drivers at Chicago, on the water wagon as a war measure.

The American Federation of Labor has increased its membership 34 years from 50,000 to over 2,000,000.

According to reports, unemployment in England has virtually vanished as a result of the war, and there is plenty of work to be found.

The Carpenters' union will meet tonight in the union quarters in the Runkel building and business of importance will come up for transaction.

According to reports the U. S. Cartridge Co. employs about 2500 hands, and this number will be materially increased when the new plants are put in operation.

An open meeting of woolen spinners will be held in Trades & Labor hall tonight. Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers will charge.

George Goldard, the well known distance runner who is employed on the night shift at the U. S. Cartridge Co., will be entered in the coming meet to be conducted at the Bunting grounds.

Miss Nellie Thomas, a popular young lady employee of the Lowell Weaving Co., has been signed to play with one of the leading girl baseball teams of the city.

In the six weeks operation of the government plan to connect the jobless man with the needless job, the unemployed have been placed in government employment for 1,245 men.

Organizer Daniel E. Whelan of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union arrived in this city last night after attending to important business in Providence, R. I. He spent Sunday night with his family in Brockton, Mass.

Organizer Ross Hall of the American Federation of Labor who is also organizer of the Boston branch of the Machinists' International arrived in this city today after spending the week-end with his family in Lynn.

Organizer John Gillespie of the Teamsters' union was stationed in Boston arrived in this city yesterday afternoon. He will address an open meeting of the organization to be held in Trades & Labor hall tonight.

The Growers' Workers' union of New York has adopted a new rule, according to which no one who is not a citizen, or who has not taken out his first name, can become a member of the union.

Manuel Macchia, the unfortunate switchman who had both legs severed above the knees yesterday morning by being run over by a shifter, probably slipped while in the act of throwing a switch.

William J. Weston, secretary of the Leather Workers' union, who is employed in the trimming department of the American Hide & Leather Co., has been offered a more remunerative position in the tanning department of the same plant. It is understood that he will accept.

Better child labor legislation has been successfully blocked by the cotton manufacturers of North Carolina.

pen to the clerk, Representative Albert Holway of Bourne. The presentations were made by Representatives George B. Waterman of Williamstown, Carl E. Emery of Newburyport and A. Schuyler Clapp of Norfolk.

Others present were Senator John F. Sheehan of Holyoke and Representatives Patrick J. Curley of Cambridge, Orlando McKenzie of Foxboro and Alfred J. Moore of Boston.

Legislative Record

The progress of the Massachusetts legislature of 1915 to date as compared with that of last year is as follows:

Matters referred.....	1915	1914
Matters reported.....	2360	2570
Matters not reported.....	24	124
Other hearings closed.....	11	45
Hearings not closed.....	13	45

The committees which still have matters to report are Agriculture, Cities, Joint Judiciary, Mercantile Affairs, Public Health, Railroads and Water Supply.

Will Sign Engineers' License

Governor Walsh said yesterday that he would sign the bill to amend the law relative to the licensing of stationary engineers and firemen. The bill is the result of an agreement between the engineers and manufacturers.

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but the child's turn will come in the future. At the present time there are but five states without a 11 year old working limit and North Carolina is one of these.

Now that the good weather has arrived Overseer Wansley of the Massachusetts mills will again be seen journeying to some of the local links in quest of the scalps of some of the would be champs. The overseer has an enviable reputation in local golf circles and has beaten a number of the most prominent amateurs.

Francis ("Doc") Garrity of the H. R. Barker Co. in company with William Lane and Lawrence Rourke, employees of Mullaney & Co. plumbers, broke all speed records in their walk from this city to their camp at Willow Dale last Saturday night. It is reported they made the distance in less than an hour and a half.

Loomfixers Union, Local 734

The Loomfixers union, Local 734, met in regular session last evening in the union quarters in the Runkel building with President John Hanley in the chair. Considerable routine business was transacted and four applications for membership were received. An interesting report relative to the financial standing of the organization was made, and interesting remarks on the good of the union were made by Organizers McMahon, Regan and others.

Organizer Regan Home

Thomas Regan, who for the past few years has been connected with the United Textile Workers as general organizer, is back home in this city. Last night he visited Trades & Labor hall and while there renewed many old acquaintances. For some time he has been assigned to southern cities, and he describes labor conditions south of the Mason and Dixon line as deplorable. Textile centers of New England are much better off, according to his reports.

Teamsters' Union

An open meeting was held by the Teamsters union last night in Trades & Labor hall at which General Organizer John Gillespie of Boston was the principal speaker. He spoke on the advantages to be gained by affiliating with a union. A short business session was also held before the meeting and a list of routine business was transacted. Four applications for membership were received and two new members were initiated.

Weekly Meetings

A good sized gathering of employees of the Talbot mills was addressed yesterday noon by Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers, who urged all to attend the open meeting of woolen spinners to be held in Trades & Labor hall tonight. Today the same speaker talked to the operatives of the Navy Yard and Collinsville mills on the same subject.

Boot & Shoe Workers' Union

Daniel E. Whelan, organizer for the Boot & Shoe Workers union, reports the organization to be in good standing and the membership roll steadily increasing. Besides having a large of the local in this city, Mr. Whelan also has a new local started in Newburyport, and makes a trip there one day each week to inquire into its workings. An open meeting of the Lowell union

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34 ARRESTS IN RAIDS

TWO HOLYOKE WOMEN ASSESSED \$200 EACH—TWENTY-ONE MEN AND 11 GIRLS FINED \$20 EACH

HOLYOKE, May 18.—Fines aggregating \$1040 were imposed in police court yesterday as the result of raids made early Sunday morning.

"Fruite" Williams and Cora Osborne were fined \$100 each for keeping disorderly houses and \$100 each for illegal liquor keeping. Eleven girls and 21 men taken in the raids were fined \$20 each under fictitious names.

INJURED ON THE ALLEYS

Christopher Lampios of 110 Lewis street, employed at the New Jewel alleys on Merrimack street, slipped and fell while running on an alley last night and sustained a fracture of his right hip. He was removed in the ambulance to the Lowell General hospital.

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You can keep your skin free from hair or fuzz by the occasional use of plain delatone and in using it you need have no fear of marring or injuring the skin. A thick paste is made by mixing some of the powdered delatone with water. Then spread on the hairs and after 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and all traces of hair have vanished. Be careful, however, to get real delatone.



How to Dry-Clean Your White Gloves

You can do it yourself—quickly, easily and cheaply. Save the tax on your pin-money by coaxing away new gloves or sending tales to the professional dry cleaner. You can clean them just as well as they—only takes a few minutes. Nothing easier or different about the process.

Place gloves in a fat dish containing a solution of Putnam Dry-Cleaner and gasoline. Brush gloves with a stiff brush or whit brush. Rinse in clean gasoline. Think of the dollars and the time you can save by this method. Gloves can be cleaned almost the last minute before wearing and made to look like new.

Putnam Dry-Cleaner can be used in a hundred other ways, simple and sensible cleaning ways—furniture, curtains, dress goods, linens, ribbons, neckties, embroidery, etc., etc. All can be cleaned just as well as the professional does it at one-eighth the cost.

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TO PREPARE LOAN ORDER FOR PAWTUCKET BRIDGE

City Solicitor Instructed to Draw
Up \$86,000 Loan Order—City
Council Holds Busy Meeting

The municipal council at its regular meeting today voted to instruct the city solicitor to prepare an order to borrow \$86,000 for the construction of reinforced concrete bridge at Pawtucket falls to take the place of the present bridge.

It was not expected that any action relative to a new bridge would be taken at today's meeting as Mayor Murphy had told the bridge petitioners that the bill now before the legislature asking that Lowell be allowed to borrow \$700,000 beyond the debt limit

for a new high school would have a whole lot to do with the new bridge proposition. The mayor said that if the legislature would allow the city to borrow the money for the school that the new bridge and other things could be attended to within the debt limit.

But the mayor was not present at today's meeting. He is attending the State Foresters' convention in Springfield and Commissioner Carmichael, president of the council, presided. Air.

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WARNED BY SUBMARINE

Leyland Liner Prevented From
Going to Rescue of Passengers
of Lusitania—40 Miles Away

BOSTON, May 18.—According to her captain, W. F. Wood, the Leyland liner steamer Etonian, which arrived from Liverpool today, was prevented from going to the rescue of the passengers of the sinking Lusitania by a warning that an attack might be made upon his own vessel.

The Etonian left Liverpool the day before the Lusitania disaster. Captain Wood was forty miles from Kinsale when he received a wireless call from the Lusitania. The call was also picked up by the steamers City of Exeter and Narragansett. The Narragansett, the captain said, was made a target for submarine attack.

Captain Wood said: "I was about 40 miles distant from the position the Lusitania's operator gave me. The Narragansett was closer to the Lusitania."

"At 5 p. m. I observed the City of Exeter cross our bows and she signalled: 'Have you heard anything of the disaster?'"

"At that very moment I saw the periscope of a submarine between the Etonian and the City of Exeter. The submarine was about a quarter of a mile directly ahead of us. She immediately dived as soon as she saw us coming for her. I distinctly saw the splash in the water by her submerging."

"I signalled to the engine room for every available inch of speed and there was a prompt response. Then we saw the submarine come up astern of us. I now ordered full speed ahead and we left the submarine slowly. The periscope remained in sight about 20 minutes. Our speed was perhaps two miles an hour better than the submarine could do."

"No sooner had we lost sight of the submarine astern than I met another on the starboard bow. This one was directly ahead of us on the surface. I starboarded hard away from him. He

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time way. In a store that
serves—clerks are pleasant—
there's a note of cheer in the
air here.

CHALIFOUX'S
Watch Charley Chaplin's funny cap-
ers in The Sun every day.

STEAMER SIGHTED
NEW YORK, May 18.—Steamer Ni-
gara from Bordeaux for New York,
sighted. Dock 5 a. m. Wednesday.

SOME CATHOLIC NOTES
FIRST COMMUNION AT THE IM-
MACULATE CONCEPTION NEXT
SUNDAY
Next Sunday will be First Commu-
nion day at the Immaculate Conception
church and 120 boys and girls will
receive their first communion. The
ceremony, which will be a most im-
pressive one, will be held at the 7:30
o'clock mass. The children will be at-
tended by the Grey Nuns of the Cross,
who are in charge of the school.
In the evening vespers services will
be held at the regular time and at the
close of the services a May procession
will be held from the church and
through Columbus park. The procession
will be headed by members of the
clergy and the altar boys and others
who will be in line with the children
of the first communion, members of
the Children of Mary sodality and the
Immaculate Conception sodality. At
the close of the procession benediction
will be held in the church.
The Y. M. C. I. will present a min-
i-stral show Friday evening at their hall
on Stockpole street, aided by the Mis-
tery Girls of Billerica.

St. Margaret's
Arrangements were completed last
evening by a committee of young la-
dies of St. Margaret's parish for the
concert and will be held in the parish
hall tomorrow evening. This affair
is arranged incidental to the an-
nual parish lawn party to be held
next month.
St. Peter's
The mission for the children of the
Sunday school of St. Peter's church
was started yesterday afternoon at 4:15
o'clock with the Oblate missionaries in
charge. Services will be held every
afternoon this week at the same hour.
Watch Charley Chaplin's funny cap-
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38 MINING MEN FREED

DROP CASES AGAINST MOYER AND OTHER OFFICIALS—WERE CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY

CALUMNET, Mich., May 18.—A nolle prosequi was entered yesterday in the cases against President C. H. Moyer and 37 other officials of the Western Federation of Miners. Indictments of charges of conspiracy by the Houghton county grand jury a year ago as a result of alleged acts of violence said to have been committed at the direction of the defendants during the copper strike.

The order was made by Judge P. H. O'Brien in the Baraga county circuit court at L'Anse, on motion of Prosecutor W. J. Galbraith of Houghton county.

Meanwhile the strike had ended. The decision to drop the prosecution was said to have been one of the first decisions of the new county administration elected last autumn.

SEEK NEW WATER SUPPLY

LAWRENCE UP AGAINST IT—MAYOR KANE WILL APPOINT A "WATER SEARCHING" COMMITTEE

LAWRENCE, May 18.—Mayor Kane was authorized and directed by the municipal council yesterday to appoint a commission of three members to secure a new source of water supply for the city of Lawrence. The proposition was introduced at the regular session of the council by Alderman Hannagan, who declared that the water in the Merrimack river was constantly becoming more polluted and the resultant cost of filtration was growing greater each year. The measure was passed without further discussion.

Residents in the vicinity of Mount Vernon and Beacon streets, who, for more than three years, have been pleading for an adequate water supply in that neighborhood were in attendance at the meeting this forenoon and again urged that the city government take cognizance of the situation and show a disposition to assist them. Upon the motion of Alderman Maloney the council voted to instruct Alderman Hannagan to take immediate steps with a view toward relieving conditions.

Alderman Hannagan stated that he would make an effort to secure water from the town of Andover as he said he saw no other solution. To connect with the high water service he said would be prohibitive because of the cost.

BILLERICA

Plans for a Memorial Day observance in Billerica will be discussed at the meeting of Asa John Patten circle, 20, Ladies of the G. A. R., to be held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Adelaide Bolton, North Billerica. A large attendance of members is expected.

William McBride, James F. Rule and Bernard Fetherston, all overseers in the Talbot mills, have returned from the outing and convention of New England overseers held at Rocky Point, near Providence, R. I. Saturday.

CHESTNUT BARK DISEASE

Public Hearing to Consider Advisability of State Quarantines Prohibiting Shipment of Nursery Stock

WASHINGTON, May 18.—A public hearing was held at the department of agriculture today to consider the advisability of state quarantines prohibiting the shipment of chestnut nursery stock and chestnut lumber retaining the natural bark from Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia, and portions of Ohio, North Carolina, Iowa and Nebraska to points outside those states.

The hearing was called as a result of the failure of congress to appropriate for further federal control of the chestnut bark disease after July 1, 1915.

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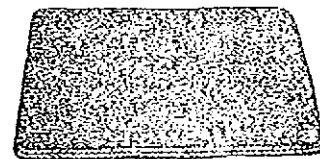
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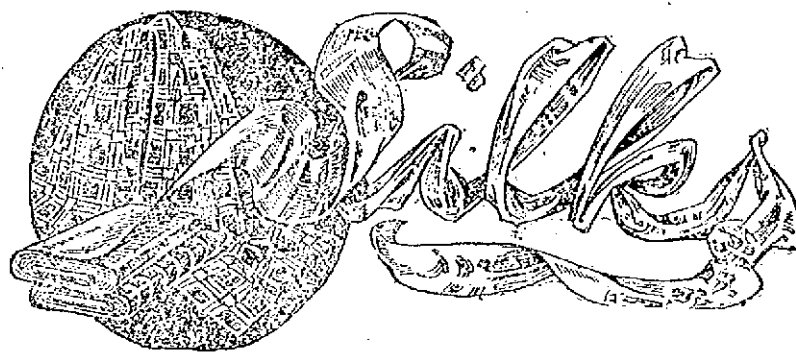
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32 pieces Juhard's celebrated French crepe, all pure silk, 40 inches wide, in all street and evening shades and white; perfect goods; no remnants. Regular price \$1.75. Sale price—Yard.....\$1.09

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40 inches wide, very fine quality, all pure silk, the newest silk on the market. Colors: Maize, navy, sage, old rose, flesh pink, white, black, moss green, taupe. Regular price \$2.25. Sale price—Yard.....\$1.49

50c PRINTED SILK FOULARDS

25c Yard

20 inches wide, all pure silk, small figures, polka dots and pencil stripes, limited quantity. Regular price 50c. Sale price—Yard.....25c

\$1.50 BLACK SILK TAFFETA

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2 pieces, chiffon weight, beautiful black, yarn dye, great value. Regular price \$1.50. Sale price—Yard.....\$1.19

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Yard wide with beautiful embroidered figures, warranted fast colors; also plain pink, ciel and lavender. Reg. price \$1.10. Sale price—Yard 79c

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2 pieces, full yard wide, beautiful black, extra heavy quality. Regular price \$1.75. Sale price—Yard.....\$1.29

\$1.00 SHANTUNG SILKS

69c Yard

12 pieces, Rogers & Thompson's waterproof quality, 27 inches wide, excellent for suits, dresses and coats. Colors: Navy, Belgian, brown, natural, leather, taupe, green. Regular price \$1.00. Sale price—Yard.....69c

59c TUB SILKS

39c Yard

Yard wide, white grounds with cluster of stripes of pink, gray, blue, black and lavender. Regular price 59c. Sale price—Yard.....39c

\$1.10 BLACK SATIN DUCHESSE

85c Yard

4 pieces, 36 inches wide, extra high lustrous, good quality, black only. Regular price \$1.10. Sale price—Yard.....85c

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Yard wide, all silk, fine pencil stripes on green, navy, plum, Copen and black grounds; very popular for dresses. Regular price \$1. Sale price—Yard.....85c

\$1.00 ROMAN STRIPED SILKS

69c Yard

26 inches wide, extra heavy quality, pure silk, suitable for waists and trimmings. Regular price \$1. Sale price—Yard 69c

\$2.25 OTTOMAN SILK POPLIN

\$1.49 Yard

42 inches wide, extra heavy quality, special for suits and coats. Colors: Black, navy, Russian green, taupe, amethyst, Belgian blue. Regular price \$2.25. Sale price—Yard.....\$1.49

\$1.10 BLACK SILK TAFFETA

85c Yard

3 pieces, full yard wide dependable quality pure silk. Regular price \$1.10. Sale price—Yard.....85c

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Small lot only, 350 yards, all pure silk, excellent quality, 40 inches wide. Colors: Taupe, brown, Copen, Belgian, sage and navy. Regular price \$1.75. Sale price—Yard.....89c

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69c Yard

25 pieces, perfect goods, small figures, stripes and dots. Regular prices 85c and \$1.00. Sale price—Yard.....69c

75c CHENEY'S BLACK SATIN FOULARDS

39c Yard

10 pcs. 24 in. wide, all pure silk, beautiful black only, perfect goods, in any lengths you want; no remnants. Regular price 75c. Sale price—Yard.....39c

RIGGS BANK CASE

Bitterness in Case—
Comptroller Williams
Called Law Violator

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Arguments on the legal phases of the injunction suit brought by the Riggs National bank against Secretary McAdoo, Comptroller Williams and John Burke, treasurer of the United States, who are charged by the bank with conspiring to wreck it, were continued today in the supreme court of the district of Columbia.

Frank J. Hogan, of counsel for the bank, resumed his argument in opposition to motions of government counsel that the proceedings be discontinued for lack of jurisdiction. Arguments on questions of law probably will not be concluded before the close of tomorrow's session of the court. If the court should overrule the motions to dismiss the defendant officials then would follow a show cause why they should not be permanently enjoined from continuing the alleged unlawful interference with the bank.

An indication of the bitterness with which the litigation will be fought developed soon after the case was called yesterday. The opposing lawyers engaged in a heated wrangle over publicity methods employed in the proceedings, upon which Justice Scales, presiding, called a halt with the announcement that this court is not going to be used as a laboratory to test bad mood.

Louis Brandeis, Samuel Untermyer and associate counsel for Secretary McAdoo, Comptroller of the Currency Williams and Treasurer John Burke, who are charged with conspiring to wreck the Riggs bank, filed briefs in support of their motions to dismiss the proceedings.

They maintained that "the suit involves the property of the United States, is a suit against the United States" and that the government cannot be made a party to a suit without its consent. The officers in the government who took the case to court, they claimed, were acting in their official capacity and within the law. The right of the bank to sue in equity also was challenged on the ground that it had an adequate remedy at law.

Mr. Hogan charged in his argument that a political aspect had been injected into the case and that 60 per cent of the assets held by Secretary McAdoo had come to him with the proceedings. He cited authorities

to show that officials of the government may be made amenable to the court when they attempt to usurp authority and asserted that Mr. McAdoo usurped authority to be the paying officer of the United States and with holding \$5000 interest on bonds due the Riggs bank to satisfy penalties by Comptroller Williams.

Referring to Comptroller Williams, Mr. Hogan said:

"We have to the bar an individual who has abandoned a law administrator and become a law violator."

The withdrawal of American Red Cross and Panama canal funds from deposit at the Riggs bank, the attorney declared, was brought about through the interference of Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller Williams.

"Together," he said, "these two to-day, from the Riggs bank more than \$100,000 in deposits, yet they say that the bank might not be as solvent as it is today if they had not helped it."

It was believed today that probably two more days would be occupied by the arguments on the legal phases of the proceedings. If the court should overrule the motions to dismiss, the defendant officials then would have to show cause why they should not be permanently enjoined from continuing the alleged unlawful interference with the bank.

OFFICER DIES OF INJURIES
WORCESTER, May 18.—James B. De Shazo, a member of the state police, stationed at the Worcester office, died last night at his home, 102 Austin street, as the result of an assault alleged to have been committed by John O'Donnell when the latter appeared at the local office for an examination for a fireman's license three months ago.

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DANBURY HATTERS' CASE

UNITED HATTERS OF NO. AMERICA IN CONVENTION TO REPORT ON QUESTION OF JUDGMENT

NEW YORK, May 18.—The special committee of the United Hatters of North America in convention here was preparing today its report on the question of meeting the judgment of approximately \$200,000 given to Loewe & Co. hat manufacturers of Danbury, Conn., in a boycott action. The judgment was affirmed by the United States supreme court and Loewe & Co. have served notice on officers of the hatters union that unless the union takes steps to satisfy the judgment it will proceed in foreclosure actions against the homes and bank accounts of the hatters which were attached when the suit was begun in 1908.

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THE SICKABED LADY

Have you ever heard of the medicinal qualities of shoe-makers' wax? Long before the virtues of antiphotogenic and peroxide of hydrogen were extolled as healing and antiseptic agents, shoe-makers' wax was relied upon in many an old-fashioned home. A bit of shoe-makers' wax heated and applied over a bruise or abrasion will draw out any poison that may have entered the wound and prevent danger of that modern horror, infection and the dangerous results of blood poisoning.

Keep a bit of this old time safeguard in the house, and if some day steps, inadvertently on a rusty carpet tack, or runs a can opener into the

fleshy part of the palm, wash out the wound and clap over it a bit of melted shoe-makers' wax, binding a clean bandage over. Or, better still, cleanse the abrasion with peroxide if you have it in the house—as everybody should have—and then apply the heated wax. Infection gets in its deadly work before the danger is realized in most cases, and by the time a neglected cut or bruise has begun to look angry and the doctor summoned, he may not be able to prevent a long and annoying case of blood poisoning, if not an actually dangerous condition.

Some very fine dishes for invalids are contributed by nurse today, and made from beef. Cut a pound best lean steak in small pieces, place in glass fruit jar, cover tightly and set in a pot of cold water; heat gradually to boil and continue this steadily three or four hours, until the meat is like white rags and the juice thoroughly extracted; season with very little salt, and strain through a wire strainer. Serve either warm or cold.

When beef tea is wanted for immediate use, place in a common pint yellowware bowl, add very little water, cover with saucer, and place in a moderate oven, if in danger of burning, add a little more water. To make beef tea more palatable for some patients, freeze it.

For beef tea to one pint of beef essence quite hot, add a teaspoon of the best cream, well heated, into which the yolk of a fresh egg has been previously stirred, mix carefully together, season slightly and serve.

Nurse thinks those in the country this summer walking should know that poisonous plants are distinctly marked by nature. Old settlers, trappers, Indians, and negroes, all familiar with the woods, will avoid berries that are as smooth as a glass bead all around. They know the roughness at the bloom end is a sure indication of non-poisonous qualities.

All fruits of this class, wild or cultivated, so marked, are wholesome. Blackberries, whortleberries, cranberries and gooseberries, although not exactly in the same class, are still slightly rough at the bloom end, and in all varieties, perfectly wild, are safe to handle and to eat.

The deadly nightshade and seed berries of the poison ivy are as sleek and smooth as the bloom end of glass. These smooth sleek, wild berries all have poisonous properties. Nature never errs; her sign and symbol is upon them.

I received from nurse today some

Dull, Faded or Lifeless Hair Quickly Restored to Its Natural Beauty

If your hair is anything short of perfect, if it is losing color, too dry, brittle, thin, or if the scalp burns and itches, you should immediately begin the use of Parisian Sage. The first application of this safe and always reliable tonic restores every trace of dandruff, cools and invigorates the scalp and beautifies the hair until it is gloriously radiant.

Parisian Sage supplies all hair needs and does not injure either the hair or scalp. It contains the exact elements needed to make the hair soft and wavy, and to make it grow long, thick and beautiful. It is a delicately-perfumed liquid—not sticky or greasy—that can be had at any drug counter.

Parisian Sage acts instantly—one application stops the head from itching and freshens up the hair. You will be surprised and delighted with this helpful toilet necessity, for nothing else is so good for the hair and scalp, and nothing so quick and beautiful the hair giving it that enviable charm and fascination. Parisian Sage is one of the quickest acting hair tonics known—inexpensive and easily used at home.

Medical hints I think are worth noting. Cure for nose-bleed. Take common white beans, roast until a good brown, then grind them fine and take as snuff. Brown some flour in the oven by a slow fire, and make a gravy of boiled milk with salt and sugar if desired, and with curd butter. Apply either with children or adults if no other food is eaten for a day or two.

Cure for rheumatism: five cents' worth of camphor dissolved in a pint of kerosene, apply to skin over the affected joints before retiring and rub well. To clear your voice when singing try a gargle of borax and water, or allow a small pinch of the former to melt in your mouth and swallow; this is said to be used by the best singers.

When the feet are sore or tired or burning try taking a teaspoon of epsom salts, a tablespoon of ammonia and a tablespoon of common salt and put into water enough to cover feet to ankles. Soak twenty minutes. Water must be lukewarm or cool not cold.

Nurse has asked me to tell you how to cook cranberries. As they are brought from the market in a delicate berry which many persons do not enjoy because its wild flavor is unpleasant to the taste.

Clean the berries, place them in a pan with sufficient water to cover them, and add a half teaspoon of soda. Boil the berries in the soda water until you hear them bursting. Drain the water from them, then in cold water, then cook with sugar. It removes the "tang" and less sugar is needed to sweeten them if cooked in this way.

The same method can be used successfully in cooking soap beans, from which the greenish water removes a poisonous substance, makes the bean clean and white when cooked, and they cook in less time, too.

A mustard poultice is good, says nurse, used for a counter irritant in case of a pain in the chest, brachialgia, etc. Into one gill of boiling water, stir one tablespoon of dry mustard. Equal parts of mustard and flour made into a paste and spread between two pieces of muslin make a mustard plaster.

The proper way to make a mustard plaster so that it will not blister the patient is to use the white of an egg to mix with the mustard instead of water. Another way is to rub the part to be plastered, with vasoline and a coating left on the skin.

"TAKING THE CENSUS"

Delightful one Act Comedy to Be Presented in Associate Hall Tomorrow Evening

The final rehearsal of the cast to participate in the one act comedy, "Taking the Census in Bingleville," which will be given at Associate Hall tomorrow evening, was held last night and it went off like clockwork. The success of the rehearsal indicates a great performance. All members were present and each gave his or her part in a very efficient manner. The comedy roles are in the hands of clever thespians, and in fact all parts are in charge of capable performers. The play opens with a lively town meeting and just when all are getting excited over an important issue the census man rushes in and takes charge of the situation. From then until the final curtain it is one continuous round of enjoyment, and all who attend are promised one of the most entertaining evenings of the season. The affair is in charge of the Faberale society of St. Columba's church, and from the large number of tickets already disposed of a record crowd is assured.

NINTH REGT. M. V. M.

Non-Commissioned Officers Elected Officers For the Evening Year Yesterday

The members of the Non-Commissioned Officers society of the Ninth Regiment, M. V. M., met in Boston yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year with the following result: Regimental Sergeant Major John F. Leydon, Boston, president; Sergt. George Company G. Worcester, vice president; Sergt. Collins, Co. E, Boston, secretary; Sergt. Frank, Co. H, Boston, sergeant at arms; Sergt. H. Serst, Friedenberg, Co. A, Boston, auditing committee; Sergt. Walsh, Saunders, Fitzgerald and Hayes, executive committee.

It was announced that the regiment will perform its annual tour of duty July 18 at Ypsilanti and on June 12 the regiment will go to Worcester for the annual field day. Col. Edward Logan addressed the gathering and it was voted to hold another meeting on June 27.

TO COMPLETE THE CENSUS

Alexis F. Feeteau Wants Residents Who Have Been Missed to Send in Their Names

Alexis F. Feeteau, local director of the census enumeration, wants it known that all residents of Lowell who have missed being listed on the census enumeration, which is being completed, are urged to send their names and addresses to the census office, 24 Mr. Vernon street, Boston. The work is not yet complete, and it is not too late to get in. Mr. Feeteau is anxious to clean up the work as speedily as possible. You send in your name to the census office on this application, be sure to put your street address, and the name of the city or town on the letter.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Facts—

That Mean Much

When Your Health Is Concerned

Your physician when called to the sick room prescribes medicines that his experience has taught him best contend with the case he has to treat—medicines that he has learned to rely upon.

Very often he finds instances where a reliable quick-acting tonic stimulant is necessary. This condition the unprejudiced physician, who knows, unhesitatingly meets by prescribing

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

for he understands the purpose of this great stimulant—that it is purely and simply a medicinal whiskey, the one true medicinal whiskey, made exclusively for use in the hospital and home, in cases of emergency and for the sick room.

The physician who is acquainted with his subject knows there are two harmful elements, fusel oil and tannin, in the ordinary commercial or beverage whiskey. While these may not affect the strong, robust person, whiskeys containing an excess of these elements should never be administered to the delicate, aged, or those in need of a pure stimulant, if due regard is given to the digestive process and central nervous forces.

The United States Pharmacopoeia (the Government authority on medicines and their proper preparation) long ago saw the necessity of eliminating as far as possible fusel oil and tannin from whiskey to be used for medicinal purposes. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has always been made for medicinal use only, and contains the least possible amount, less even than the Government standard.

The accompanying charts show the average amount of fusel oil and tannin found in the usual beverage whiskey. Then you'll note the far smaller amount shown in the U. S. Standard for medicinal whiskey.

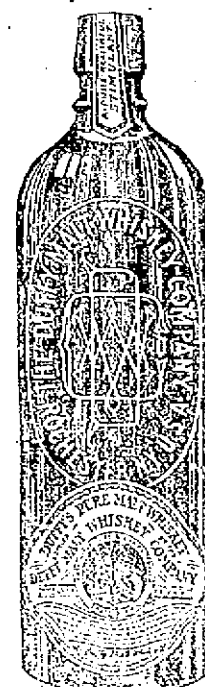
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Fusel Oil in beverage and medicinal whiskeys.



Fusel Oil in U. S. Standard medicinal whiskey.

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Remember:—That in Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey you can always obtain a pure, reliable tonic stimulant, which, if taken in the temperate prescribed dosage as indicated will prove an invaluable aid in restoring health to the delicate, the convalescent, and the aged.

You should have a bottle in your home at all times to guard against emergencies and sudden illness, or to be used as a tonic stimulant for the weak and run down.

Get a bottle now—from your druggist, dealer or grocer for \$1.00—or write us how you may obtain it. Free medical booklet sent upon request.

The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

MAKING GIFTS IN SUMMER

"I have so much to do this summer," complained Marjorie, "that I am afraid I shall have no time to work on gifts as I have always done every year."

"Why not?" asked Marie. "It is not necessary to do needlework every moment to accomplish a lot as it is a task, or pleasure, that can be done at odd moments. Take a breathing space between doing the dishes and making the beds, and pick up the bit of work in the bag and take perhaps not more than a half dozen stitches."

"You'd be surprised how making a single evening now and then at odd moments will soon complete quite a large quantity, and pretty things of ribbon work up ever so quickly. You can make the prettiest flower decorations imaginable which I saw not long ago, and it took only a week of the smallest kind of breathing space, and the maker didn't even rush her work overtime."

"True, one article a week isn't much, but when you make a practice of continually keeping at it, one gift a week amounts to at least fifty a year, sometimes a little more and sometimes a little less, according to their size and elaborateness."

The bag was one of the simplest, round, puff little affairs with a circular dolly of silk-covered cardboard forming the bottom, and the straight, flared piece of silk which forms the bag is shirred around it. The bag and casing for the draw string are of course, made in one. The bag hem simply has two rows of stitching run along it about a half inch of three-quarters of an inch apart.

Sometimes an inch-wide casing is used. This stitches the top and the second row forms the casing. The bag may be in either pink or deep yellow silk. Any color, or color, may be used.

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PLANT RESUMES FULL TIME

Bannington, Vt., Machinery Firm, Hit By War Conditions Nearly Year Ago Has Big Order

BENNINGTON, Vt., May 18.—The Charles Cooper estate, manufacturers of knit underwear, machinery and needles, opened yesterday morning with a full force on full time for the first time in nearly a year.

An order just received is expected to keep the shop running all summer. About a year ago the company built for a German company a number of machines which it has been unable to ship. Inability to realize on these caused

machines and the general depression compelled the company to run on a 40-hour schedule for several months and in March it laid off about half of its machinists.

WILL GIVE BIRD TALK Secretary Townsend of the Audubon society of New Hampshire for the Protection of Native Birds will give a talk before the Lowell Fish and Game association on game, song, and "ornamental" birds, on the evening of June 1.

STILL ALARM Hose 7 responded to a still alarm at 7:41 o'clock last evening for a chimney fire in a building at 352 Lawrence street. The property is owned by Murphy. Slight damage.

For Indigestion and Biliousness

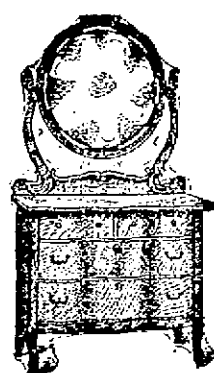
those foes of comfort and well-being, there is one family remedy universally regarded as the best corrective of deranged conditions of the organs of digestion. Present suffering is relieved promptly, and worse sickness prevented by timely use of

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Let this wonderful remedy tone your stomach, stimulate your liver and kidneys, regulate your bowels and you will feel improved throughout your entire system. A few doses will prove to you why, for the common and minor ailments of life, Beecham's Pills

Are the Right First Aid

Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c. Directions of Value Especially to Women with Every Box.

80 Bureaus
22 STYLES

From the Great Bankrupt Stock
of the Royal Furniture Co.

—AT—

33 1/3% Discount

REGULAR PRICE.....\$9.50 TO \$80.00
SALE PRICE.....\$4.95 TO \$53.00

YOU SAVE.....\$4.55 to \$27

There is only one of some styles, so don't delay. We had 120 Dressers in this stock. We have only about 50 left and the quantity is growing small every day. When they are gone, who is going to sell you a dresser at these prices?

\$9.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$4.95
\$11.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$7.67
\$13.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$8.67
\$16.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$11.00
\$17.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$11.67
\$18.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$12.33
\$23.75 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$15.83
\$27.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$18.33
\$41.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$27.33
\$25.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$16.67
\$30.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$20.00
\$35.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$23.33
\$42.50 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$28.33
\$55.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$36.67
\$80.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$53.00
\$45.00 Bird's Eye Maple Bureau.....	\$30.00
\$29.50 Bird's Eye Maple Bureau.....	\$19.50
\$27.50 Bird's Eye Maple Bureau.....	\$18.33
\$62.50 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$41.72
\$50.00 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$33.33
\$42.50 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$28.33
\$35.00 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$23.33

Chiffoniers to match about all the above dressers. Wood Beds to match some of the higher priced ones. As you will note, an even third is deducted off every article as it is on all the rest of this big bankrupt stock, whether furniture, floor coverings or ranges.

A. E. O'HEIR & COMP'Y

HURD STREET

MEN'S RETREAT

Great Crowds Nightly at
St. Peter's — Sermon
by Fr. Fallon, O. M. I.

The second night of the men's mission at St. Peter's church drew an immense crowd last evening, the main church being crowded to the doors a half hour before the services opened, necessitating the opening of the lower chapel, which rapidly filled up. Rev. Fr. Kerwin, O. M. I. led in the recitation of the rosary in the upper church, and Rev. Fr. Fallon, O. M. I. preached an eloquent and impressive sermon on the first communion.

In the lower chapel Rev. Fr. Fallon, O. M. I. recited the rosary and gave a short instruction on the necessity of prayer, urging a close attention to this very important matter in the daily lives of the men. "Prayer," he said, "is the life of the soul, and without it the soul is dead. The prayers are omitted almost daily, and hence the admonition the men to be careful in the future."

"Mortal Sin" was the theme of a forceful sermon delivered by Rev. Fr. Fallon, O. M. I. and the reverend gentleman made a profound impression. He drew a telling word picture of sin in all its enormity and heinousness in the sight of God, warning his hearers that if they went along the loose road of sin, without any thought of its wickedness or its violation of God's holy law, that just as surely these souls would be destined to languish with the damned for all eternity. The attainment of heaven and its attendant blessings is a worthy incentive to strive for, and hence the reverend gentleman exhorted the men to shun the occasions of sin and lead upright and holy lives. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament closed the services in both churches.

The attendance at the 5 o'clock mass this morning was even greater than yesterday morning and after mass Rev. Fr. McRory, O. M. I. gave a most instructive discourse on the second commandment.

AUTOS COMMANDEERED

ROME, May 18.—The automobiles of every member of the cabinet, with the exception of Premier Salandra, were commandeered today by the army authorities.

OBLATE BROTHER DEAD

BROTHER FORTIN PASSED AWAY
AT ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL THIS
MORNING

Brother Narcisse Fortin, O. M. I., of the Oblate Novitiate, passed away this morning at St. John's hospital, after a brief illness. Deceased had for many years been a member of the community in Tewksbury and was well known in Lowell.

He was born in the diocese of Quebec in 1854. At the age of 31 he made his perpetual oblation as an Oblate of Mary Immaculate and his 49 years spent as a member of the order were years of unswerving attention to duty and devotion to the practices of his religious vocation. Brother Fortin served the Oblate order in his capacity as a lay brother in several of the houses of that order in this country, notably in Buffalo, Elmira and Newburgh. At all times and places his exemplary life was a source of great edification to his brother Oblates and of great consolation to his superiors. He was of a quiet and retiring disposition so that he may be said to have combined all those qualities so desired in a religious.

He continued to perform his duties up to within the last few weeks and his calm, peaceful death seemed but a passage from the toil and labor of this life to the reward of a well earned and merited rest in the bosom of the Lord.

On Wednesday evening the Office of the Dead will be chanted in the chapel of the novitiate and the funeral will take place from there Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

BARNES-ROOSEVELT CASE
Continued

potent evidence for the jury to consider and he was allowed to continue. "You said an eleven thousand dollar interest was retained by you in the McCarthy contract?" questioned Mr. Bowers. "Was that ever paid?"

"Yes I think so, early in 1909." "Did you see Mr. Davis (State attorney general before or after the printing bids were opened?"

"It must have been after."

Mr. Barnes identified a letter dated in 1909 which he wrote to Thomas C. Platt.

"In that letter you say you were in

all daily conference with Mr. Davies. Is that true?"

"Almost daily, I guess that's right." "I call your attention, Mr. Barnes, to this record of bids made to the printing board at the time of the McCarthy bid. Do the figures there refresh your memory?"

"I do not know anything about those figures. I testified to that yesterday."

Mr. Bowers offered the record and Mr. Lyman objected. Mr. Bowers then asked Mr. Barnes whether he knew there were seven bidders for the contract. Mr. Barnes said he did not.

The witness admitted he knew there were other bidders for the printing contract besides Mr. McCarthy and the Lyon company, but said he was surprised that the difference between the Lyon and the McCarthy bids was \$100,000. Mr. Lyon had asked the witness to see Mr. Davies, a member of the printing board. It was after the contract had been awarded that Mr. McCarthy went to the witness and asked him to buy it. Mr. Barnes testified. The witness did not remember if there was any agreement on the price.

"Did you transfer the contract direct to James B. Lyon?"

"Yes."

"Now was the agreement you made with Mr. Lyon couched in practically the same language that appears in the minutes book?"

"It must have been."

"When did you receive your pay?"

"I have told you I transferred the \$25,000 to the Journal company. Then I received the \$11,000 from Mr. Lyon that completed the transaction."

"Now, there was nothing you had done to justify Mr. Lyon paying you a salary?"

"No, of course not."

"When did you cease advocating the awarding of contracts to the Lyon company?"

Mr. Lyon objected.

"Did you tell Mr. Davies you wanted the contract awarded to some person or corporation in Albany that had a printing establishment rather than to Mr. McCarthy, who had no adequate plant in which to do the work?"

"I did."

"You said yesterday you told Mr. Davies you hoped Lyon would get the contract?"

"I said all those things."

Mr. Bowers re-introduced letters that passed between Barnes and Gov. Roosevelt. These letters were placed in the record during the early days of the trial and were later stricken out along with other evidence about printing offered in justification.

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Wednesday Wonders OPEN TILL 9 P. M.

CORNED BEEF TONGUE	SIRLOIN STEAK Cut Short	PORK CHOPS	PIGS HOCKS
Lb. 12½c	Lb. 15c	Fresh, Lean	Fresh or Corned

BORDEN'S MALTED MILK	RHODE ISLAND DUCKS	DUCK EGGS	LEMONS
38c size Each 33c	Lb. 15c	Best Fresh Doz. 27c	Thin Skin, Large Doz. 10c

LOBSTERS Best Yel, Strong, Alive	NEW SPRING SPINACH	BEST PEA BEANS	MILK Condensed New Cans
Lb. 20c	Pk. 9c	Qt. 11c	Each 8c

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S BOMBAY CHUTNEY, Bot. 15c

STRAWBERRIES, Large and Ripe, Box. 10c

BIG FLEET OF WARSHIPS PROTEST AGAINST WAR

FIVE-MILE LINE REVIEWED BY PRES. WILSON AS IT PASSED THE MAYFLOWER

NEW YORK, May 18.—The big fleet of warships which has been at anchor in the Hudson river for ten days, steamed out to sea at 11 o'clock this morning with President Wilson reviewing the five-mile line as it passed the Mayflower off the statue of liberty.

Headed by the super-dreadnaught Wyoming, Admiral Fletcher's flagship, the 16 big battleships and their train of lesser fighting craft steamed past the presidential yacht at the snail speed of 14 knots, each ship with its sailors and marines standing at the rail at attention. Each craft bearing the Mayflower fired a presidential salute of 21 guns.

Tens of thousands of persons flocked to vantage points to view the great marine procession.

Traffic on the Hudson river was suspended between the Manhattan and New Jersey shores half an hour before the fleet sailed.

The day was overcast, but through the clouds the sun shone at intervals. The air was chill and a stiff breeze along the waterfront made overcoats comfortable.

Close by the Mayflower lay the Dolphin, the Isis and the Xancton with government officials, members of the citizens committee, newspapermen and invited guests aboard. Swinging at anchor, the little reviewing squadron tossed out streams of pennants and bunting that danced against the extraordinary blue of the sky.

There was little cheering in response for in bidding good-bye to the fleet the crowds seemed to be in thoughtful mood. Leaving New York the fleet made for Newport, the second from which will be directed maneuvers in the war game along the Atlantic coast. The president and most of his party had arranged to return to Washington aboard the Mayflower.

FESTIVAL OF NATIONS

INTERESTING PRODUCTION TO BE PRESENTED AT ASSOCIATE HALL THIS EVENING

One of the most interesting and unique features of the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium work this year will be the exhibition of national and folk dancing in costume, to be given in Associate hall this evening, at 8:15 o'clock. The program is one of interest throughout. Each class in the gymnasium has a part.

The program is as follows: "How Do You Do?" an American folk dance; Dutch "Windmill" dance; "Sambra," Japanese; Irish jig; modern frolic; Valva Vadmil, Swedish waltz; Russian; "Yankee Doodle" polka; "Mloments Musical," Grecian; "Cicilian," Italian; "Ring," Danish.

The program is under the direction of Miss Washburn, physical director.

FOUR OF CLUBS

A meeting of the Four of Clubs was held in the club quarters in Odd Fellows building last night at which financial arrangements were made for the banquet to be given in the hall of the members at Camp Tenth, May 30. President James McEvoy was in the chair and called to order promptly at 8 o'clock. The report of the business committee was first submitted and after some discussion it was accepted as was the report of the entertainment committee which followed. Following the business session an informal social hour was held in which many of the members contributed was enjoyed.

FUNERAL NOTICES

GALLAGHER—The funeral of Michael Gallagher will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 101 Grand street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FITZGERALD—The funeral of Jennie Fitzgerald will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Services at St. Peter's church at 3:30 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

JENNINGS—Died in this city, May 17, at the Old Ladies Home, Mrs. Abigail Jennings, aged 90 years. Her funeral services will be held from the Old Ladies Home, No. 520 Fletcher street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Friends invited. The funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

MAHONEY—The funeral of Sgt. Denis Mahoney will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 42 New street at 8:15 o'clock. At St. Peter's church a funeral high mass will be sung at 8:15 o'clock. Interment will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker J. J. O'Donnell in charge.

ROBERTS—Died May 15, in this city, Mrs. Louisa C. Roberts, at her home, 44 Fruit street. Her funeral services will be held at 74 Stevens street, Wednesday afternoon, May 19, at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. Burial will be in the family lot in the Spring Grove cemetery at Andover, Mass. Undertaker George W. Healey in charge.

CARROLL—Died in Greenville, R. I., May 15, W. H. Carroll, aged 75 years. Prayers will be said at the grave in the Eden cemetery on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

FARRIS—Died in this city, May 15, at her home, 4 Fruit street, Mrs. Lydia A. Farris, aged 72 years. Funeral services will be held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma A. Allen, 53 Fruit street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

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FUNERALS

COFFIN—The funeral of Louise Coffin was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker George M. Eastman in Bridge street. Burial was in the Eden cemetery.

MARCOTTE—The funeral of Henry Marcotte was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker C. H. Molloy in Market street. Rev. F. W. Beers, pastor of the Pentecostal church of the Nazarene, conducted the services. Miss Rose Wright and Miss Amanda Barnard sang "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Rock of Ages." Burial was in the Eden cemetery, where Rev. Mr. Beers read the committal prayers.

MOSHER—The funeral of Emma J. Mosher was held from the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, Branch street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Charles H. Shurtliff, pastor of the Advent Christian church. Burial took place today in the family lot in the Town House cemetery at Belgrade, Me.

HARRISON—The funeral of Ralph H. Harrison was held from the home of his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Lloyd Harrison, 147 Middlesex street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. C. Harrison Davis, pastor of the Highland M. E. church. Burial was in the Western cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BRIER—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Briar took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons. The cortege proceeded to St. Anthony's church where at 8:30 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Manuel Apiano. At the grave Rev. Fr. Apiano read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CUNNINGHAM—The funeral of the late James Cunningham took place this morning at 8:45 o'clock from his home, 105 Mammoth road, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Columba's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. John Degan. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow inscribed "Brother" from sister, Mrs. Mary Piro, while the service will be delivered by the chaplain of Court St. Antoine.

COURT ST. ANTOINE, C. O. F.

The members of Court St. Antoine and St. Paul, C. O. F., will hold their annual communion next Sunday at the 1:30 o'clock mass to be celebrated at St. Joseph's church. The members will gather at the C. M. A. hall at 6:30 o'clock and there form in line to march to the church. The mass will be celebrated by the chaplain of Court St. Antoine.

GAGNON-CARON

A pretty marriage took place this morning at St. Joseph's church, when Arthur Gagnon and Miss Alice Caron were united in the bonds of matrimony. The ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at 7 o'clock by Rev. Armand Baron, O. M. I. The bride wore white crepe de chine and carried lilies of the valley. She was attended by her father, Louis Caron, while the bridegroom's witness was his father, Francois Gagnon. At the close of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents, 3 Pawtucket street, where a wedding dinner was served. The happy couple left on the 12 o'clock train for Holyoke where they will spend their honeymoon. They will return to this city Tuesday and will make their home at 235 Fletcher street.

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\$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30.00 Suits. Anniversary Sale Price **\$18.50**

Lot of Coats, black and white checks, several styles, \$5.00 and \$6.00 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$2.98**

Coats in Covert, Mixtures and Serges, \$7.98 and \$8.98 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$5.00**

Big Lot of Coats in Covert Serges and Basket Weaves, many lined throughout, value up to \$12.50. Anniversary Sale Price **\$7.98**

DRESSES

Lot of Odd Dresses in serges, were up to \$5.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

Lot of Odd Dresses, silks and French Serges, \$7.98 to \$12.50 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

Lot of Silk Dresses, messaline, crepe de chine and poplin, up to \$12.50 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$7.98**

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All Wool Black and Blue Serge and Black and White Check Skirts, \$1.98 and \$2.98 value. Anniversary Price **\$1.50**

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Anniversary Sale of MILLINERY

40 Dozen Genuine Panamas, value \$2.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

10 Dozen Colored Hats, good shapes, value \$1.50. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

50 Trimmed Hats, value \$2.50 to \$4.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

50 Children's Trimmed Hats, value \$1.50 to \$3.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

Large Black and White Shapes, value \$2.50 to \$5.00. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

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Children's Colored Dresses, in gingham and chambray, all the newest summer styles, sizes 2 to 6 years, regular price 59c. Anniversary Sale Price **49c**

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 2 to 5 years, regular price 49c. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 10 and 12 years, regular price \$1.49. Anniversary Sale Price **49c**

Women's Petticoats in black and colors, regular price 49c. Anniversary Sale Price **29c**

Women's House Dresses in all sizes, regular price 69c. Anniversary Sale Price **35c**

Children's Summer Coats, all sizes, regular price \$3.98 and \$4.93. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

Children's Rain Capes, sizes 6 to 14 years, colors blue and red, regular price \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

SUMMER WAISTS

Lingerie and Semi-Tailored Waists, long and short sleeves with rolling collars, made of voile with embroidered fronts, others of fine madras, good values, worth 79c. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Crepe, Voile and Muslin Waists, made of striped crepes with organdie collar and cuffs, very neat. Others in all white fancy crepes and voile, long and short sleeves with new convertible collars. Worth \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Silk Waists, of good quality Jap. Silks, in all white all over embroideries. Others in plain silk, black and white, Chin Chin silk in assorted colored stripes, very stylish, worth \$1.50. Anniversary Sale Price **88c**

Lingerie Waists, made from the latest models in all the newest materials, very smart and of excellent value, worth \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **98c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF NECKWEAR

Lace Collars, all boned, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Swiss Embroidered Collars, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Muslin Cuff and Collar Sets, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Shaded Silk Ties, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF RIBBONS

Moire and Plain Silk Ribbons, four inches wide, regular price 15c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **10c**

Silk and Satin Ribbons, five and six inches wide, regular price 19c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **12 1/2c**

Dresden and Plaid Ribbons, regular price 25c yard. Anniversary Sale Price **19c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck sleeveless, 12 1/2c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **6 1/2c**

Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless with lace bottom or cuff knee, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Women's Lisle Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 50c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Misses' Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Boys' Union Suits, low neck, short sleeves, cuff knee, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WASH GOODS

Yard Wide Percale, regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Yard Wide Manchester Percales, regular price 12 1-2c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Apron and Dress Gingham, regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **6c**

Yard Wide Fancy Crepe and Voiles, short ends, regular price 25c and 30c. Anniversary Sale Price **12 1/2c**

Madras, suitable for shirts and waists, regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

Muslin and Dimities, regular price 12 1/2c. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

Fancy Pongee in all shades, regular price 12 1-2c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SILKS

36 Inch Silk Paille Poplins in all the new shades, value 89c. Anniversary Sale Price **69c**

40 Inch All Silk Poplins, in all the new shades, regular price \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

24 Inch Fancy Brocade Poplins, evening shades and dark, regular price 89c. Anniversary Sale Price **59c**

36 Inch Black Taffeta Silk, regular price \$1.19. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

36 Inch Black Messaline, value \$1.19. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Women's Black Lisle Hose, double heel and toe, double garter top, regular 18c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **2 PAIRS FOR 25c**

Women's Cotton Hose, black only, double soles, high spliced heels, double garter tops. A regular 15c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **9c**

Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1-1 rib, double knees, heels and toes, a 12 1/2c quality, broken lots. Anniversary Sale Price **4 PAIRS 25c**

Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors, high spliced heels, double soles, very sheer quality, value 19c pair. Anniversary Sale Price **2 PAIRS 25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WOMEN'S GLOVES

2-Clasp Kid Gloves, Paris point embroidery in tan, gray, white and black, broken lots. A regular \$1.00 quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **63c**

Women's 16-Button Length, Silk Gloves, in black, white, pink, blue, double finger tips, regular \$1.00 quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **55c**

2-Clasp Silk Gloves in white only, double finger tips, 50c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

Women's Fine Chambray Suede Gloves, 2-clasp, white only, washable, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **19c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF BAGS

Women's Black Leather Hand Bags, fitted with purse and mirror, strap or ribbon handles in an assortment of styles, regular price 79c. Anniversary Sale Price **47c**

Women's Leather Hand Bags, made of real leather, some with leather and silk linings, large and medium sizes and fitted with purse and mirror in tan, black and navy. Values up to \$2.00. Anniversary Sale Price **79c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF TOILET GOODS

Peroxide of Hydrogen, one pound bottles, regular price 29c. Anniversary Sale Price **11c**

One Pound Boxes of Talcum Powder in violet, trailing arabus and corymbos, regular price 45c. Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

Good-Sense Tooth Brushes, seconds of the Prophy-lac-tic, imperfections slight, regularly sold for 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Shell and Amber Hair Pins in straight and crimped, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF BELTS

Women's Silk Girdles or Suede Leather Belts in navy, copenhagen, green, cerise, brown, purple, light blue, pink and yellow, broken sizes, regular price 50c and \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **23c**

One Lot of Velvet, Suede, Elastic and Silk Girdles, values up to \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE IN OUR RUG and DRAPERY DEPT.

50c Nottingham Lace Curtains. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

40c Dutch Curtains, ready to hang. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

50c Velvet Door Mats, Anniversary Sale Price, Each **35c**

68 White Enamel Beds, brass trimmed. Anniversary Sale Price **\$4.95**

\$13.50 All Brass Beds, double top rails. Anniversary Sale Price **\$9.95**

\$2.50 Soft Top Mattresses, good ticking. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

\$3.00 Guaranteed National Bed Springs. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.79**

\$6.00 Drop Side Couches with mattresses and bolsters. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

35c Floor Oilcloths, extra heavy quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **25c**

75c Genuine Cork Linoleums, beautiful patterns. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **49c**

25c Marquette, cream and Arabian. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **12 1/2c**

\$25.00 Axminster Rugs, 9x12, perfect, beautiful colorings. Anniversary Sale Price **\$18.50**

\$13.50 Tapestry Rugs, 9x12. Special values. Anniversary Sale Price **\$9.95**

\$15.00 Hawkes Best All Silk Floss Mattresses. Anniversary Sale Price **\$10.95**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF DRESS GOODS

54 Inch Black and White Check, value 69c. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **49c**

54 Inch Imperial Crepe, Suiting, sold up to date 89c. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **75c**

56 Inch Wool Black and White Shepherd Check, regular \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **79c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Women's Drawers with hemstitched ruffle; regular price 12c pair. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **10c**

Drawers of good emble with ruffle of embroidery; regular price 25c pair. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **19c**

Corset Covers of good quality nainsook, with yoke front and back of embroidery or lace and ribbon drawn; regular price 39c. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **25c**

Corset Covers, handsomely trimmed with lace or embroidery; others made of all over embroidery; regular price 50c. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Women's Night Robes, chemise style, edged with narrow embroidery and ribbon run; regular price 39c. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Night Robes with yoke of tucks and two rows of insertion, V neck and long sleeves; regular and outsize; regular price 69c. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Long White Skirts with cluster of tucks, ruffle of embroidery and underlay; regular price 75c. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Long White Skirts with 18 inch flounce of Swiss embroidery, with or without underlay; regular price \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **69c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

1 Lot of 27 Inch Daisy Swiss Embroidery, suitable for children's dresses; regular price 50c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **25c**

45 Inch Voile Flouncing, embroidered, 27 inches, in large floral designs; regular price \$1.00 yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **50c**

Fine Batiste All over Embroidery, in small eyelet pattern; regular price \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **59c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SHEETS and PILLOW SLIPS

Fruit of the Loom Remnants, in 1 to 10 yard pieces. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

75 Dozen Pillow Slips, 42x36, never sold for less than 15c each. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **12 1/2c**

50 Dozen Pillow Slips, 42x36, all perfect goods; regular price 10c each. Anniversary Sale Price **3 FOR 25c**

60 Dozen Sheets, 72x90, regular value 49c. Anniversary Sale Price, 3 FOR **\$1.00**

TOWELS

29c Huck Towels, plain and hemstitched finish. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **17c**

Turkish Hand Towels, extra fine and heavy. Anniversary Sale Price, 3 FOR **25c**

25c Turkish Towels, full size and weight. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **17c**

TOWELING

6 1-4c Bleached Twill Cotton Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

15c All Linen Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **12 1/2c**

Huck Remnants, 12 1-2c and 15c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **6c AND 10c**

5c Bleached Cotton Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **5c**

79c Scarfs and Squares, all linen centres, heavy torchon edge. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **50c**

An odd lot of Scarfs and Squares; regular 39c and 50c values. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF NOTIONS

Sewing Silk, 100 yards, all colors; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

Hooks and Eyes, with Peets; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

John J. Clark's Spool Cotton; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

Basting Cotton, 500 yard spools; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

Pins, regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

White Tape, 10 yard pieces; regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Black and White Headed Pins; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

Collar Supporters; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

Pearl Buttons; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

THE LOWELL SUN

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THE GERMAN REPLY

The opinion is growing in this country that the reply of the German government to the recent note of President Wilson will be conciliatory in tone. As yet no German official has given any intimation of the probable attitude of the German government, but there are many indications of a growing spirit of conciliation. At first, some of the more extreme German propagandists in this country hinted that there would be no compromise, but such is not the expectation of American public opinion.

While, at the present time, one guess is as good as another, it is most significant that with the determination of Dr. Dernburg to abandon his publicity agitations in this country comes a new attitude into that part of the press representing the more extreme German views. The last note of the German government promising a modification to the submarine war, as regards its effect on neutrals, promises a ground for agreement. There is no expectation that the American government will recede in the least from the position taken in the note, but while the absolute surrender of the German government may not be immediate, it will be advised by those who control the German policies, in all probability, rather than the return to any stand that would antagonize America still further.

It is scarcely to be expected that Germany will entirely withdraw its submarine campaign against merchant ships without an attempt at compromise, and on this point there are precedents, indicating the part to be taken by the principals. Germany will probably agree to confine its submarine attacks to war vessels, provided England modifies its blockade of German ports, permitting food to pass to the civilian population of Germany. This government may act in a friendly mediation to secure such a compromise between England and Germany, but the refusal of England to abandon a form of blockade fully justified by international law will not be taken to justify further German attacks on the persons and properties of neutrals. Pending the settlement of mooted points, the submarine activity may be withdrawn or materially reduced.

Until now, Germany has shown but little disposition to care for or cater to the opinion of the neutral world, but the effect of its further disregard must be apparent. It is one thing to ignore diplomatic representations that do not portend serious consequences, but the recent American note is of an entirely different character. Even more significant than the firmness of the note is the solidity of American loyalty to the administration, a fact that Germany cannot regard as other than a great factor in deciding on its future policy.

Until the sinking of the Lusitania, the American people, despite the opinions of individuals were neutral, and there was a disposition to look at both sides of the case, whenever there was a matter of contention between the belligerents. The Lusitania affair changed this attitude into one of national protest against Germany, and it must be apparent to those abroad and in this country who work for German success that a disregard of our firm and reasonable requests would kill Germany's chances of ever getting back into the favorable opinion of any but a slight American clique. Sanity, therefore must prevail, if Germany can hope to see this nation continue neutral, and a great deal will depend on the answer of the German government to the note of the American government.

A PITIFUL CONDITION

In our local police court and in all the police courts of this commonwealth, no sight is more common than that of the habitual drunkard offender who is brought before the judge time after time, without a hope of regeneration. Sometimes it is a young man all of whose manliness is debased and whose will is paralyzed; again, it is one in middle age, possibly the father or mother of a large family, but it is saddest when the offender is an aged man or an aged woman who has none of the natural sanctity of age but whose unhappy life has been spent between the jail and the gutter. Almost every day reveals this condition and reveals the inadequacy of the present law to cope with it.

The average police court judge whose nature has not been hardened by his connection with the criminal side of humanity must be distressed at the sight of the habitual drunkard. The judge may have hopes of deterring the first, second or third offender, but what hope is there when the culprit has been up for sentence twenty, thirty or fifty times. All one can hope to do is to put them away from temptation for some reasonable time, realizing the while that the end of their sentence will see their return to their old habits and the prisoner's pen.

There is a timely need for some agency other than that of the police court for the regeneration of the habitual drunkard. If the men or women have gone so far that they cannot resist temptation, they should be regarded as incurable and kept somewhere in kindly keeping, away from the gratification of their passion for drink. Often prisoners in court ask for a prison sentence in order to get the craving out of their system, recognizing their powerlessness to fight a foe that has destroyed their power of resistance. Surely one in this condition cannot rightly be regarded as a criminal, and the law that would regard him as such is unjust.

The suggestion has been made from time to time that the state should erect an institution for the treatment of habitual inebriates, regarding their frailty as a disease rather than a crime. There is certainly need for such an institution, which would meet the demands of humanity without defeating the ends of justice.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION

It is very gratifying to find that there is but a negligible attempt at the present time to make political capital out of the business situation. Whether due to the astuteness of the attempt, or the realization of our good fortune at being fairly prosperous at a time of such universal misery, certain it is that the country is a vast in talking thinking and boasting general optimism. Even the ultra-conservative trade and financial journals vie with each other in the bright prospects which they draw for the immediate American future.

Not the least significant indication of prosperity was the recent crop re-

port of the United States government. Our department of agriculture declared that the prospects are better than they have been for the past ten years. This, coupled with the fact that the world demand will probably be far in excess of the usual, presages a condition of general prosperity that will be felt in every strata of American life. With this report come reports of larger railroad earnings, fewer idle freight cars, increased production in our large industries, heavy bank clearings and every other straw that indicates the way the wind is blowing. The industrial and financial world is so confident of the outlook that even such momentous things as the sinking of the Lusitania and the resultant agitation did not materially affect the markets. Prospects of peace would tend to make conditions still better, but even the prolongation of war will not now imperil our business situation.

Speaking in Boston last week, Secretary Redfield took up the question of exports and imports since the framing of the new tariff to prove that the present law was a favorable factor in keeping down prices and preventing panic during the early days of the war. The war did not permit of a fair comparison with the statistics of other years, but the prosperity that continued here during the most trying days and the many complexities of a critical time answer the selfish charges of anybody who would strive to make political capital out of the existing situation.

A SUNDAY WALK

Away from the city they went on Sunday, two pedestrians who had become weary of the ominous bulletins, the glaring headlines, the atmosphere of unrest, the "white way" agitations and all the many things that tire the brain and fill the heart with sadness. Away they went—not very far—but far enough to find the heights "where God is winding His lonely horn." The memories of the things they found and re-found will help them tide over another week of the city with its "building and spoiling and spoiling and building again."

What did they find? Paths that led through lush grass, sprinkled with thousands upon thousands of violets, apple trees in bloom, white and pink like brides, scarlet lingers like living flames, nests of growing ferns, Phloxes, crocuses, a sober ground-hog that lived in his cool home on the approach of intruders, brooks that rippled over the stones in matches' bare, narrow, branches of wild cherry trees with fragrant blossoms, a turtle that made a big splash, cool water that splashed, birds and plants that shared them into an acknowledgment of their presence of nature, peace of mind and a most fascinating, primitive appearance.

One God merits special attention. Pedestrian number one went to a little hollow for three especially beautiful wood violets, when whirr-r-r-r! two feet away rose a speckled pheasant with startling suddenness. There in

the hollow—place a secret—lay a nest with seventeen dusky eggs. Then back through the greenest green grass that ever grew, with a bunch of violets, surrounded with maiden-hair ferns, against an ancient enemy. It will hasten the end of the war as Austria will be obliged to withdraw her armies from the eastern front to prevent an Italian invasion.

ITALY

The Italian government is generally supposed to be striving for continued neutrality in the face of popular opposition—at least until the events of war are favorable for Italy's entry into the conflict. The war party, headed by Premier Salandra, has chafed under this continued procrastination of the king and his advisers and matters were brought to a head by the resignation of the Salandra cabinet. Had the resignation been accepted there would in all probability have been widespread popular disaffection and disturbance, but that has been averted by the refusal of the king to accept the resignation. Italy is now nearer war than at any time since last August and Austria and Germany seem to have abandoned all hope of protracting diplomatic negotiations further. It is, therefore, more than probable that Italy will be with the allies before many days—or, perhaps, hours. The temperamental Italian people have burned with the desire to wrest from Austria the provinces that Italy has long desired, and since peace will not give them the prize, they favor war. Italy will probably soon taste the excitement and the attendant miseries of the greatest struggle which the world has seen, but her entry into the war—unless it causes complications in the Balkan belt—will be a great stroke

A NEUTRAL CONGRESS

Entirely aside from the rights or wrongs of the present war, there is a movement in this country in favor of a great neutral conference of protest against the disregard of international law. Since the beginning of the struggle, human rights have been trampled on as never before, and the best interests of neutral nations—hitherto held sacred in all wars—have been trampled ruthlessly under foot. All neutral powers have protested, strongly or weakly as the case may be, but the answer to the protests was a revision to larger crimes. As this nation is the greatest neutral nation, and, in fact, the only powerful neutral, many Americans favor the calling of a great international conference of neutrals to make common cause against warfare that infringes on neutral rights. Unfortunately there is little ground for hope that the resolutions or protests there formulated would be needed, but the moral influence, nevertheless, might have some part in operating for the cessation of a war that will leave its blight upon the winners as well as the losers. One of the greatest arguments against the abandonment of neutrality by this country is that such a course would nullify our ministrations as peacemaker, should the blessed occasion arise in the near future.

IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

REMOVING MOTOR DUST

These are the days when the call of the motor is strongest on the city streets, and in the highways and byways of the country and it behooves every woman who is devoted to the automobile to give particular care to her wind swept, dust soaked face.

To the woman who motors, much I advise her to give her skin the chamomile treatment. The skin is warmed with a hot towel and is then covered with real cream, though cold cream may be used if more convenient, or any good and cleansing skin food. This is spread upon the face and while moist is rubbed off with a prepared chamomile leather.

To prepare the leather take a strip about eight inches wide and eighteen inches long and wet it well with warm water. Wring it out, and while it is still moist rub soap into it, using the best toilet variety. Rub the whole chamomile well with the soap until it is lathered, then hang it up to dry, when it will be soft and fine and ready for use upon the skin.

The way to polish the face with a

chamomile leather closely resembles the polishing of the toe of a shoe. The chamomile leather is taken by its ends and resawned across the face, using as much force as possible. By this vigorous exercise the skin is made fine, clean and soft.

A powerful factor in treating the complexion is the collar. If it is worn loose the face will be much clearer in tone than if it is worn tight. A tight collar will make the veins in the neck swell and willadden the nose. Sometimes the mere loosening of the collar will change a poor skin into a good one.

A remedy that is severe but effective in certain cases of dust-covered complexions consists of a cut time soaked into half a cupful of water. Half a teaspoonful of borax is added to this, and the whole is rubbed upon the face, only to be mopped off immediately with the softest of cold cream.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed at the city clerk's office since the last were published:

Antonio E. Ramallo, 8 Molloy's court, 22, operative; Maria Silva, 104 Charles, 15, operative.

Achille D. Bellas, 385 Market, 25, operative; Victoria D. Theodora, 385 Market, 25, operative.

Vasilios Icatron, 156 Suffolk, 27, operative; Maria Geka, 172 Suffolk, 22, operative.

Peter Bishop, (widowed), 24 Pond, 57, bobbin shop; Maryetta F. Roberts, 21 Pond, 50, housework.

John S. Higgins, 15 Cross, 20, wire straightener; Ellen Theresa Kelly, 172 Grand, 17, looper.

William T. Neal, Jr., 305 Thorndike, 24, carder; Rose E. Lawton, 30 Mead, 19, window.

Andrus Boumilla, 168 Charles, 23, operative; Stefania Juriaiwiczka, 1 Corbett place, 20, operative.

Jan Jakubus, 25 Front, 22, weaver; Karolina Polchlopek, 24 Stackpole, 23, weaver.

Arthur Lapointe, 47 Champaw, 20, steamfitter; Blanche R. Cosette, 53 Sutherland, 21, mender.

Dana C. Bachelder, Raymond, N. H., 35, cook; Grace E. Rivers, (widowed), Hooksett, N. H., 41, housekeeper.

Charles Roy, 192 Cross, 12, painter; Elvina Larochele, 155 Ludlum, 26, room girl.

James A. Steinberg, 119 Howard, 25, leather merchant; Elsie Chalfone, Webster, Mass., 23, at home.

Ray Neval, 119 Moody, 21, laborer; Delina Parent, 159 Hall, 19, operative.

Michael Hezrya, 10 Brookings, 25, laborer; Apolina Wiczek, 25 Amory, 20, operative.

George Lazaropoulos, 450 Market, 20, operative; Maria Linadake, 122 Suffolk, 25, operative.

Patrick Francis Higgins, 157 Cross, 25, fruit dealer; Catherine Bamford, 62 Main, 25, at home.

Francis Kasparian, 53 Davidson, 38, tannery; Karolina Mazarukute, 75 Davidson, 24, operative.

Roy H. Harder, (widowed), 38 Riverside, 34, machinist helper; Edith Hayes (widowed), 25 Riverside, 25, operative.

Manuel Perry, Cambridge, 25, auto assembler; Josephine Frances Flannery, 25 West Fourth, 25, cloth seller.

Erwin Strobel, 35 Road, 21, sausage maker; Helena Valentin, 132 Lakeview ave., 15, looper.

John B. Frenette, (widowed), Fall River, Mass., 67, carpenter; Josephine Dubois, (widowed), 75 White, 26, laundress.

Francis Dominick Harkin, Concord, N. H., 26, merchant; Louise Gibson, 85 Eleventh, 24, at home.

Joao E. da Silva, 25 Charles, 22, operative; Maria da Silva, 88 Molloy's court, 18, operative.

Jan Kurck, 173 Lakeview avenue, 24, laborer; Anna Jucha, 15 W. Fourth, 15, weaver.

Harry Erickson, 15 Morse, 23, machinist; Alice E. Norton, 341 Chelmsford, 24, stenographer.

Henry A. Davies, 25 Lombard, 25, machinist; Joseph E. Buckley, 41 Floyd, 24, at home.

John H. Merrill, Gloucester, Grassmere, N. H., 12, hotel employee; Hattie F. Webber, Grassmere, N. H., 42, dressmaker.

One of the most interested spectators at the Panama Exposition in Columbia

GERMAN NAVY CHIEF

REPORT THAT ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ HAD RESIGNED DENIED



ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ.

BERLIN, May 18.—The story that Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, German navy chief and originator of the submarine warfare idea, has resigned because of the sinking of the Lusitania, is denied here. The story originally was given out in Copenhagen.

SHOT THROUGH THE HEART

LEBANON, N. H., May 18.—Samuel Speed committed suicide during the night by shooting himself through the heart with a shotgun. The body was discovered at 6 o'clock yesterday morning by his son-in-law, Hart Cundall, lying face down a short distance from the house in a path leading to a spring.

QUART OF WHISKY KILLS

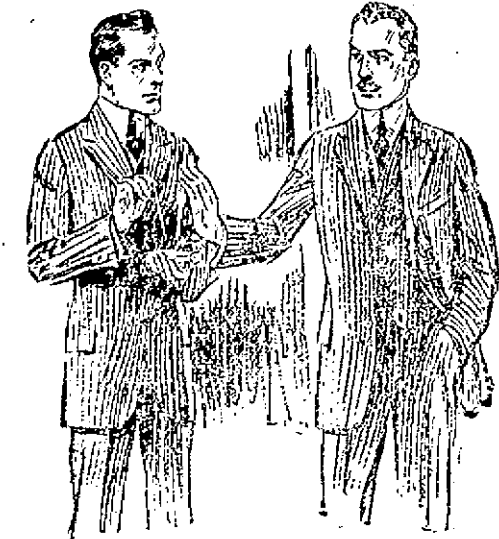
MANCHESTER, N. H., May 18.—Dr. Maurice Watson, medical referee for Hillsboro county, was called to South Weare yesterday to investigate the death of Ruel Page.

An autoist took Page into his car Sunday and after giving him a ride is said to have given him a quart of whisky. The man is said to have entered a barn and drunk the contents of the bottle and to have fallen into a stupor, from which he never rallied.

COLD WAVE COMING

BOSTON, May 18.—The weather bureau last night announced that following yesterday's rain and drizzle a miniature cold wave was shaping its course for Boston and New England and that by tomorrow night frosts may be expected in the unprotected and inland lowlands.

Two women sculptors, Miss Janet Souder and Mary Corbin H. Lougman, of New York, are classed in the list of \$10,000 a year bread-winners.



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FLAG DAY MEETING
Nearly every patriotic organization of the city was represented at the meeting of the flag day committee held last evening in the mayor's reception room at city hall. It was reported by a sub-committee that the school pupils were willing to assist in the work and help sell small flags. About 10,000 flags have been ordered and will reach here Thursday. The pupils and others will be stationed on all the downtown streets on Saturday, May 22, to sell the flags.

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Sawyer Carriage Co., F. Chandler, Mgr., 453 Western St.
Stanley Garage, T. Williston, Prop., 610 Middlesex St.
Stowell, F. E., 350 Moody St.
White, George F., 660 Middlesex St.
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TOWNS

Atwood, H. H., Pelham, N. H.
Byam, J. S., Chelmsford, Mass.
Bickford, Frank, West Chelmsford.
Casey, F. A., Billerica, Mass.
Fairbridge, James, Townshbury, Mass.
Marinell, Joseph, North Chelmsford, Mass.
Perrin & Queen, Townshbury, Mass.
Smith, D. E., North Chelmsford, Mass.
Wright & Porter, Westford, Mass.
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BOXING, GOLF
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RAIN HALTS SCHEDULE

Game at Fitchburg Cancelled—
Manager Barrows' Club a Big
Factor in Gate Receipts

"Well, boys, there's another game we lost today," said Manager Barrows yesterday morning when he learned that the Fitchburg management had called off the game. "We'd have beaten that Noonan outfit as sure as you're alive."

The rest of the club seemed to share Barrows' optimistic feeling and more pep and elation were shown around the baseball office than upon any previous occasion this season. It begins to look as though the local team had found itself at last and intended to get down to business and win ball games.

Home East Tomorrow

Tomorrow Lowell takes leave of us for a week. The local club will make its first trip of the season to Lewiston and Portland, and will be gone until Sunday. Wednesday and Thursday will be spent in argument over a decision at Lewiston, while Friday and Saturday fling Duffy will send his flag chasers out against our boys.

If the club breaks even down in Maine we ought to be satisfied. Both the Lewiston and Portland grounds are built for the home clubs, the visiting aggregations not being wise to the vagaries of many a day and night in the playing surface. So with the odds against 'em an even break will do.

Barrows a Big Factor

Manager Mike Barrows is going to be a big factor in local baseball history this season. He has shown this to be true already.

During the past week a business man told me that he had not been to Spalding park in two years but that he was going to take a trip out there and take a look at Barrows. "They say he is a terrific hitter," he said. That afternoon Barrows lifted the ball to a remote corner of the park for a homer, winning the game for Lowell in the ninth, and previous to this drive out two lone tributes and slugs. The Lowell Baseball club made a double right there, and Barrows' stick has undoubtedly brought many another new face to the park.

Lawrence hitting

That Lawrence has started to hit. Perhaps, as somebody said, it will also start to lose. The down-river club went along with mighty few safeties for the first week or so yet it brought home the long end of the score sheet.

In one contest Lawrence scored four runs without a hit.

But if Lawrence continues to hit and also keeps up his fielding and inside baseball maneuvers Joe Sullivan's boys will be hard to stop.

Burkett's Pitchers Bad

Jesse Burkett is having hard sled.



MANAGER BARROWS.

is rapidly recovering his former famous poise and has treated his uniform. The Worcester leader had a severe attack of pneumonia a few months ago and was not feeling very husky when the season opened. But look out for Burkett from now on.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Hopedale players, by Walter Murray, met defeat Saturday at the hands of the Lions, by the score of 10 to 9 in a close game. Someone suggested that Murray use his new auto when he attempted to steal third in the sixth inning for he was caught off third by over two yards. Murray is willing to stack his hired men against any of the so-called champions and he avers his organization will be heard from before the season is over.

The Evans defeated the strong North Chelmsford Juniors Saturday, by the score of 14 to 2. This makes three straight games without defeat. Saturday, May 12, the Evans will christen their new suits by playing the Burnside Juniors for two quarter balls on the Wood street grounds.

The Burnside Juniors defeated the West Ends Saturday, May 15, by the score of 11 to 3. The Burnside would like to arrange games with any 15-16 year old team in the city, the Emeralds, Athletes or Ironclads preferred. Send all challenges to J. Mann, 225 Walker street, city.

The Indians defeated the Chestnuts Saturday by the score of 5 to 0. The Indians are better ball players.

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The Richmond beat Merhan's Pets or Swampscott, 23 to 2, Saturday on the South common. It was some game.

The Pawtucketville Blues defeated the Walker A. C. by the score 9 to 6. The lineup: Walker, cf; Lynch, p; Bussard, 1b; St. Claire, ss; Casey, 2b; Cryan, 3b; Garrie, rf; Strauss, cf; Haloran, lf.

There will be a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock. Managers are requested to be present. There are two more teams needed.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England

All games postponed, rain.

American

At Cleveland: Boston-Cleveland, rain.

At Chicago: Chicago 6, Philadelphia 2.

At St. Louis: Washington 3, St. Louis 2.

At Detroit: New York-Detroit, cold.

National

At Boston: Pittsburgh-Boston, rain.

At New York: Chicago-New York, rain.

At Brooklyn: Cincinnati-Brooklyn, rain.

At Philadelphia: Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 3.

Federal

At Chicago: Chicago 6, Baltimore 5 (10 innings).

At Kansas City: Brooklyn 7, Kansas City 4.

At Pittsburgh: Newark-Pittsburgh, wet grounds.

Giants' Hopes Take Boost With
Return of Mathewson to FormCHRISTY MATHEWSON
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NEW YORK, May 18.—Everybody knows "Big Six" and everybody who knows him is his admirer and a loyal rooter for him individually regardless of team sympathy. In view of this fact the announcement that the great and only Christopher is at last arrived at his best form—is fit, in other words—will be received with general acclamation. Matty put off to a bad start this season, so bad, in fact, that he lost his first four starts, and even his most ardent admirers admitted, reluctantly, "tis true, that their favorite had started on the down grade at last; that he was going the route of all good pitchers; that he was passing, in fact. But Matty did not share their gloomy views. He admitted he was bad, but said that with the arrival of

real baseball weather his arm would limber up and he would be as good as he ever was. With the advent of baseball weather what Matty predicted came to pass. On his first start of the season he registered his first win of the season. That he will win more is as sure as fate, and that he will again be the mainstay of the McGrawites is surer, if such could be possible.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League				
	Won	Lost	P.C.	
Lawrence	10	7	.588	
Manchester	7	5	.583	
Portland	6	5	.545	
Worcester	7	6	.538	
Lowell	6	8	.424	
Fitchburg	4	8	.333	
Lewiston	4	8	.333	
American League				
	Won	Lost	P.C.	
New York	15	8	.647	
Detroit	15	11	.577	
Boston	17	12	.583	
Chicago	17	12	.583	
Washington	12	14	.462	
Cleveland	11	16	.406	
Philadelphia	9	17	.346	
St. Louis	9	17	.346	
Federal League				
	Won	Lost	P.C.	
Pittsburgh	15	12	.556	
Newark	15	12	.556	
Chicago	17	13	.564	
Kansas City	15	13	.538	
Brooklyn	15	15	.500	
St. Louis	12	14	.462	
Baltimore	12	14	.462	
Buffalo	8	21	.278	
National League				
	Won	Lost	P.C.	
Philadelphia	17	8	.680	
Chicago	15	11	.577	
Boston	13	11	.540	
Pittsburgh	12	11	.520	
Brooklyn	12	14	.462	
Cincinnati	11	11	.444	
New York	10	14	.417	
St. Louis	12	17	.411	

GAMES TOMORROW

New England
Lowell at Lewiston.
Lynn at Lawrence.
Manchester at Portland.
Fitchburg at Worcester.

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Boston at Cleveland.
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LOWELL ON TOP

In Runs Scored, Team
Batting, Number of
Hits and Total Bases

Here is some food for local fans to digest—and it is bitter food at that. Lowell is at present leading the table in runs scored, in the batting averages, in number of hits made and also in total bases. And they have done all this and are still in the second division.

	g	ab	r	h	av	2b	3b	hr	sb	sh	sf	pc	po	e	ops
Lowell	11	353	68	123	.348	13	2	4	25	13	4	.242	373	127	.348
Portland	10	333	57	85	.255	13	2	4	11	7	4	.233	263	140	.233
Fitchburg	11	357	42	83	.230	16	4	0	11	7	4	.233	263	140	.233
Lynn	11	356	54	81	.227	3	3	2	23	14	3	.230	258	146	.230
Lewiston	11	378	50	82	.214	13	3	2	19	13	3	.219	262	137	.219
Lawrence	11	362	59	79	.218	9	4	3	8	17	0	.218	269	163	.218
Worcester	12	394	62	85	.216	21	3	1	19	14	1	.216	336	177	.216
Manchester	11	355	41	63	.177	6	7	0	7	18	1	.193	297	145	.193

They have been thrown away and runs given the go-by on many occasions. Up to Saturday's game the club looked like eight individual players with an automatic pitcher in the box. However, if the club keeps up the pace it set Saturday for baseball, these everyday players will be delighted in fact to triple lower brand of baseball would be acceptable for the team played wonderful ball at times against Duffy's pets.

The table of figures showing the team batting and fielding follows:

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CONNELL CREW

Oarsmen From Ithaca
Appear to Have the
Best College Boat

PRINCETON, N. J., May 18.—I followed the Princeton crew one afternoon with Guy Nickalls, in his automobile. Immediately afterward I went with Mr. Nickalls on the Princeton coaching launch and saw Yale do her final practice. Then John Hoyle took me aboard to see Cornell's work.

Thus in a short hour and a half I saw more polished crew rowing than has ever come to my lot. Yet withal, all three are working on diametrically opposite lines. Nickalls is sticking to the orthodox English stroke and rigging, while Cornell and Princeton are more rounded out. As usual Courtney has his men wonderfully well together. They run one part of the stroke into the next with which they continually as the others don't, and thus I liked Cornell a bit the best. Courtney has shortened Cornell's stroke for this race. The swing part of the stroke is perceptibly less. Princeton's is longer, but shorter than Yale's.

Cornell will go away from the firm at the highest stroke—probably at 44. Princeton will strike 42 and Yale, from what I have seen, 40. Princeton and Yale will row too deliberately for the short mile and seven-eighths course, while Cornell will sprint out into the lead at the beginning and it will be hard work for the others to overhaul her. Yale has the hardest catch of the lot in the beginning, but both Cornell and Princeton have more kick and drive at the very end of the stroke, which of course means speed between strokes.

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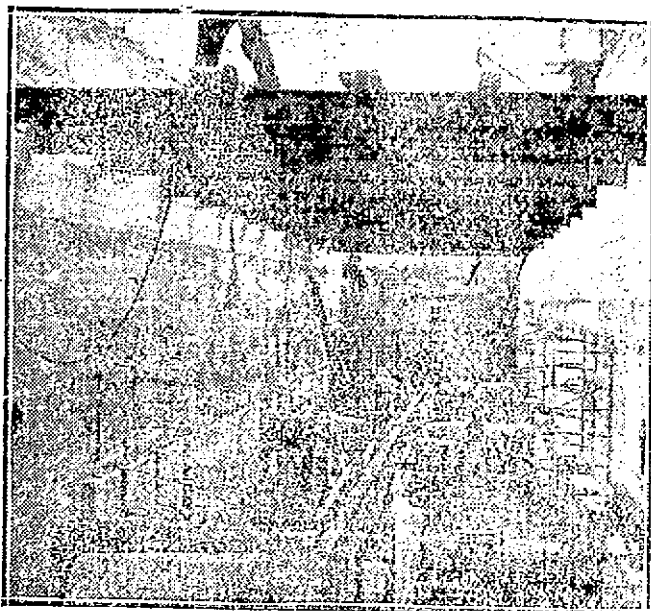
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The accompanying picture shows the pipe gallery at the boulevard filtration plant soon to be completed. The pipes shown are those running to and

from the prefilter house. All of the piping has been completed and the 20-inch valves to be used in the gallery are expected to arrive in a few days. The eye-beams shown will support the floor above which will be the superstructure for the prefilter building and laboratory.

BODY FOUND HANGING

BOY OF 13 ATTEMPTED TO ENACT A THRILLER DESCRIBED IN MAGAZINE

EAST LEBANON, Me., May 18.—The body of Ludlow Beliveau, aged 13, was discovered hanging from a sapling in the woods near the home of his aunt at Center Lebanon by Armand Lacouture this morning.

Beliveau had been missing since Sunday night. Coroner L. A. Hurd of Sanford decided it was a case of accidental death by hanging. The boy had evidently attempted to enact a thriller described in a magazine he had

THAW WINS AGAIN

TRANSFERRED FROM CELL IN TOMBS TO THE CUSTODY OF SHERIFF IN LUDLOW ST. JAIL

NEW YORK, May 18.—Supreme Court Justice Hendrick signed an order today transferring Harry K. Thaw from his cell in the Tombs to the custody of the sheriff in Ludlow street jail.

This was done in response to a request from Thaw's counsel, who had complained that Thaw was suffering from rheumatism and throat trouble and did not receive sufficient exercise in the Tombs.

In signing the order, Justice Hendrick said that inasmuch as Thaw is not a prisoner charged with any crime and the state does not wish to punish him it would be better for Thaw's health for him to be in Ludlow street jail.

ENVELOPED IN FLAMES

S. A. Bell, Manchester Loomfixer, Died as Result of Injuries Caused by Explosion

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 18.—Samuel A. Bell died at Sacred Heart hospital yesterday afternoon as a result of burns sustained in a worsted spinning room of the Amesbury mills.

He was employed as a fixer and was about to turn on the switch. The auto-starter was short-circuited and with an explosion, a sheet of flame shot out and ignited his clothing. Fellow workmen rushed to his assistance and quickly extinguished the blaze, but he sustained terrible burns to his head, body and hands. He was married and lived at 75 Douglas street.

JUVENILE ARRESTED

The youngest youngster implicated in the larceny of lead pipe from property of the Wheelock estate has been arrested by Lieut. Maher and will be brought before Judge Enright in the juvenile court Friday. Two other boys, who claimed that the one just arrested was with them when the larceny took place, were recently sentenced to jail.

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COMMITTED SUICIDE

Emil Hoeder Was National Past Senior Vice Commander of the United Spanish War Veterans

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 18.—Emil Hoeder, national past senior vice commander of the United Spanish War Veterans, is dead at his home here. According to a statement by the police today, he committed suicide last night by drinking poison. Hoeder was the unsuccessful candidate for commander-in-chief of the national organization at its last convention in Louisville.

Former business associates said he recently was worried by financial troubles.

LEW WEST SENTENCED

Woman Accused at Springfield of Being the Leader of a Band of Shoplifters

SPRINGFIELD, May 18.—Lew West was yesterday afternoon sentenced by the superior court to nine months in the house of correction on a charge of larceny on Dec. 13, 1911. She had persistently denied her guilt until yesterday, when she said she stole the goods from the Steiner store. The district attorney said she had forfeited \$5000 jumping bail in different parts of the country and alluded to her as the leader of a band of shoplifters.

ANOTHER CLAMBER TO SAIL

NEW YORK, May 18.—More than 200 passengers were booked to sail today on board the Cunarder Orduna for Liverpool. A few were registered on the passenger list as from New York and two from Chicago. It was reported that the Orduna had on board a large cargo of supplies for the British government.

FRANK HEARING MAY 31

ATLANTA, Ga., May 18.—The Georgia prison commission yesterday set Monday, May 31, as the date for beginning a hearing on Leo M. Frank's petition asking that his death sentence for the murder of Mary Phagan be commuted to life imprisonment.

CITY HALL NOTES

The contract for 5000 cubic yards of fill sand for the filtration plant will go to the Lowell Brick & Cement Co., of which William A. Trapani is the head. The Lowell Brick & Cement Co. was the only bidder and the bid was \$1.54 per cubic yard delivered. The sand, it is understood, will come from a sand bank in North Chatham. The bank is owned by Mr. Trapani and the sand will be transported in motor trucks.

Hills on Fire Escapes
Hills on fire escapes for the men's infirmary building at the Chelmsford street hospital will open in Commissioner Putnam's office at City Hall tomorrow at 11 o'clock.

The assessors again call the attention of those who have failed to pay their taxes to the fact that they will be well for them to call at the assessor's office and find out if they are properly on the list. The assessors are now working on the list.

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If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SHOT FOUR TIMES TO KILL SULTAN

New Leader of Portugal Attacked — Assailant Killed

LISBON, via London, May 18.—Joao Chagas, the new president of the cabinet, was shot four times with a pistol while on board the midnight train from Oporto. His assailant was Senator Freitas, who was shot and killed by gendarmes.

Senator Chagas was taken to a hospital where it was announced that his condition was critical. In addition to other wounds he is suffering from a fracture of the skull.

MADRID, via London, May 18.—A dispatch received here from Lisbon concerning the shooting of Senator Chagas says the attack occurred at the Estremadura railway station.

Fighting in Lisbon has begun again, according to the latest news reaching Madrid. The warships are bombarding the city. More than 100 persons have been killed, including several Spaniards.

The Spanish warships Espana and Rio de la Plata and a Spanish torpedo boat have arrived in Lisbon.

IMPROVEMENT TODAY

LISBON, May 18.—Improvement is shown in the condition of Joao Chagas, new president of the cabinet, who was shot and dangerously wounded while on board a train. Examination showed that a bullet entered the forehead and came out near the right ear. It is feared Senator Chagas may lose the right of his right eye.

Lisbon has again resumed its normal appearance except that no street cars are running. Business is being conducted as usual.

The report direct from Lisbon that the condition of Senator Chagas is improving is in direct conflict with an earlier dispatch from Madrid sent by way of Paris saying reports had been received in the Spanish capital to the effect that Chagas had died of his wounds.

ASSAILANT SLAIN BY SOLDIER

LISBON, May 18.—Senator Freitas, who shot and dangerously wounded Chagas, president of the new cabinet, was slain at the Estremadura railway station by a soldier who was ordered to shoot him.

By his action the soldier forestalled an assault upon Freitas by civilians who were clamoring for his life. Freitas was shot in the chest and the senate against Alfonso Costa's party in the parliamentary conflict last year. It is believed in some quarters that Freitas was shot because Chagas were intended for Costa, who arrived at Lisbon earlier in the day.

To Gain a Pound a Week

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Begin taking regularly five grain tablets which are made from a formula recently discovered by an eminent chemist.

Physicians and chemists assert that this tablet is very largely used for increasing the weight and improving the nervous system because of its aid to digestion, assimilation and absorption. It is a food element which so to make blood and solid tissue are retained when this treatment is regularly used for several months. Most physicians and apothecaries should supply them in sealed packages. For sale by Doves' Pharmacy, Carter & Sherburne Co., Lowell Pharmacy, Fred Howard, Falls & Burkinshaw, J. T. Sparks Co., Toupin's Pharmacy, Houle's Pharmacy.

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OFFERED TERRITORIAL COMPENSATION TO ITALY

Plot to Assassinate Sultan, Von Der Goltz and Von Sanders

PARIS, May 18.—Reports from Constantinople confirm the discovery of a plot organized by Armenians and Turks to assassinate the sultan, Enver Pasha, Field Marshal Von Der Goltz and Gen. Liman Von Sanders, telegraphs the Journal's Athens correspondent.

Two Armenians, the Journal says, were to have blown up the Kara-Köy bridge connecting Istanbul and Gallipoli on the sultan's birthday, while the ruler, accompanied by his commanders, was crossing to attend a ceremony at the mosque of St. Sophia. The plot is said to have been revealed by a son of Zoghreb Effendi, an Armenian deputy of Constantinople.

The correspondent declares 400 Armenians have been arrested and their fate is unknown, while Kurds have been given orders to burn two large villages near Van.

IN POLICE COURT

There was an unusual variety of offenders in the docket which faced Judge Enright in police court this forenoon.

Thomas Gorman, alias Polaseky, who was arraigned on continuance, charged with larceny of \$150, from the plant of the United States Cartridge Co. on Lawrence street, changed his plea of not guilty to guilty. Defendant gave his name as Gorman when first brought before the court but was identified by the finger print system as Thomas Polaseky of Boston, who had served in the house of correction at Deer Island for larceny and other offenses.

The pleaded with the court for leniency today, claiming that the favors were returned and no damage resulted. His Honor informed the defendant that the local court could not tolerate strangers coming to Lowell and committing thefts and ordered him to pay a \$15 fine. He could not produce the money and was committed to jail.

Caught on Freight Car

James Coleman and John Reed, from New York state and Concord, N. H., were apprehended last night by a freight car near the Middlesex street station. Each pleaded guilty in court this forenoon and their cases were continued until Friday for sentence.

Coleman, who appeared to have been "roughing it" for sometime, had a grip in his possession containing a quantity of underwear, hosiery, etc.

The police said he was a traveling salesman and left Concord, N. H., last night. This statement will be investigated before Friday.

The Sausage Law

Two alleged violators of the sausage law were before the court for manufacturing sausage which contained starch in excess of two per cent. The state inspector informed the court that one of the defendants, Isaac Rousseau, had been warned that week, which he refused to heed. Rousseau pleaded guilty and was fined \$5. The case of Arthur Greenwood, the same complaint, was placed on file.

Larceny Case

Thomas J. Gibbons, who was found guilty of larceny of a suit of clothes from Mr. Julien of Middlesex street, last week, was called today for sentence. Deputy Downey stated that a warrant had been taken out of the Ayer court charging Gibbons with larceny in Westford and said the Ayer police were willing that he should be turned over to the Ayer authorities. As a result his case was continued until tomorrow and in the meantime he will be removed to Ayer.

Charged with larceny of \$48 in money from Albert Booth and Richard J. Grant. Charles H. McCarthy was called before the court and pleaded not guilty. As the government was not ready for trial his case was continued until tomorrow.

James P. Callahan was found guilty of assault and battery upon his wife, Mary A. He pleaded guilty and was committed to the house of correction for three months. Deputy Downey stated that his husband went home and because she was not at work, struck her on the face. Callahan, who was very talkative, attempted to show that he was not guilty but the testimony of his wife suspended sentence of three months in jail was imposed.

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TWO SLEUTHS ON GUARD

SERGEANT PETRIE AND LIQUOR INSPECTOR MURPHY ON THE LOOK-OUT AT SQUARE THIS MORNING

"Is this The Sun?" came a voice over the phone, this morning, and when an affirmative reply was given, the voice continued: "Say, what are Sherick Holmes and Guy Garrick doing in front of The Sun building, all morning? Is somebody going to publish the Sun?" A short time after another query was made as follows: "What's going on in the square? I notice a couple of detectives hanging everybody the Matt Holsted line, and the cops are just there. Then a reporter was sent out to see what it was all about and he came back with the report that Sergt. Petrie and Liquor Officer Murphy were holding up the front of The Sun building, both wrapped in an air of mystery, scantly 'hanging' everyone who went by. Just what they were doing in Merrimack square is their own business, but they attracted as much attention as if they had been labeled 'Detectives'."

BROADWAY CLUB

The Broadway Social and Athletic club held its regular meeting last evening at their rooms on Broadway with President Albert H. Hennessey presiding. The committee on entertainment reported that it had engaged the "Greatest" of the musical world for the coming season. The feature of the entertainment is a series of dramatic celebration plays. The following committee was appointed to have charge of the banquet: Richard O'Brien, Andrew Hennessey, Robert Royal, John Hennessey, William Hennessey, Kenneth Hennessey, and others. The committee for the welfare of the club were named by many of the members.

NOT WORRYING OVER SUBMARINES

NEW YORK, May 18.—There was not an American among the passengers when the Lusitania sailed, said Captain Taylor and he was not worrying about submarines and expected an uninterrupted trip across.

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Great China Sale this week at Geo. H. Wood's, 145 Central street.

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Andrassy, as leader of the opposition, declared: "The entire nation is united on this question. If war is inevitable it will do its duty manfully but if peace is possible it will joyfully and sincerely join to bring about more intimate and friendly relations with Italy."

FILL POWERS TO GOVERNMENT

ROME, May 18.—The Italian parliament will be asked Thursday to vote on a bill containing a single clause conferring plenary powers on the government, according to the Giornale d'Italia. Plenary action regarding war is not expected until after that time unless Austria makes the first move which is considered unlikely in view of the pacific speeches made in the Hungarian diet.

Alarmist rumors of all kinds are being circulated in Rome. One report circulated today was to the effect that Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador already had left the city secretly. It was unfounded, although a special train is kept in readiness to carry him to St. Gothard if a break comes as he is understood to have expressed a wish to return to Berlin by way of Switzerland.

50 KILLED IN RIOTING

ROME, May 18.—Despatches from Trieste telegraphed from the frontier to the Italian National state that the number killed in the rioting of yesterday (Sunday) was about 50, including several aged men. The Austrian authorities had three cannon trained on the town from the height of Gopina and also threatened to have the city bombarded by warships. A renewal of the revolutionary outbreak has become impossible because strong forces of troops occupy the city. There have been explosions in two powder magazines and attempts to pillage gunsmiths' shops.

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PRES. WILSON DELIVERS ADDRESS ON THE FLAG

"We Stand for Humanity and for Things Humanity Wants" Says President—Praises Fleet

NEW YORK, May 17.—President Wilson delivered a patriotic address on the American flag and the protection it carries for Americans at a luncheon given today in his honor by the New York citizens committee for the reception of the Atlantic fleet. When the president arose to speak soon after viewing the parade of sailors and marines from the fleet he was enthusiastically cheered. Five hundred army and navy officers and other guests jumped to their feet and applauded. All the officers were in full dress uniform. Alton B. Parker, Jacob Schiff, Joseph H. Choate, August Belmont and many other prominent New Yorkers were among those present.

Acting Mayor George McAneny introduced the president.

The president declared that the luncheon was not the occasion at which it was wise for him to make an extended address. He said he had always had a deep interest in the navy and that it should have a great navy to express their character.

The navy, he added, brought the United States in touch with the rest of the world. Secretary Daniels was warmly praised by the president. Under his leadership the navy had become more and more efficient. The secretary, he declared, had his en-

MGR. WHITE'S CHANGE

HIS FRIENDS AT PUTNAM & SONS PRESENTED HIM TOKEN OF ESTEEM

Manager John F. White of the Putnam Clothing store, on the eve of his departure, Friday evening, was presented a handsome chest of silver by his fellow employees at the store. Mr. Ernest Gauthier made the presentation and Mr. White made a fitting response. As already stated he goes to take charge of the P. & Q. store.

MANUEL MARCHIA DEAD

VICTIM OF ACCIDENT AT TREMONT AND SUFFOLK YESTERDAY PASSED AWAY

Manuel Marchia, the Italian who had his legs amputated in the Tremont and Suffolk mill yard yesterday afternoon at the Lowell Corporation hospital. He was 41 years of age.

HELD IN \$5000 EACH

MEN CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER IN CONNECTION WITH DEATH OF CANOIST

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 17.—Capt. C. E. Demmons of the schooner Brigadier of Rockland, Me., and his mate, Ollie Houston, were held after a hearing in the court today for the murder of a canoeist, George W. Bartlett, who was killed in a collision with the schooner. Bonds were fixed at \$5000 each pending the outcome of the coroner's investigation of the death of Ralph Bartlett, who was killed in a collision with the schooner. The body has been recovered.

PLANNING BOARD MEETS

RECOMMENDS SEIZURE OF LAND AT PAWTUCKET BRIDGE FOR A PARK

The city planning board came out of innocuous desuetude yesterday and held a meeting in the mayor's reception room. Commissioner Putnam presided and the other members present included J. V. Crook, Charles W. Rogers, John H. Murphy and Walter Brown.

On motion of Mr. Murphy it was voted to send a letter to Commissioner Morse asking him to take immediate action in the removal of all poles in the path of the white way. It was also voted to recommend to the city council that the city acquire, by lease or otherwise, all of the land on the southerly side of Varnum avenue from the dam to Mammoth road. This would eliminate the old buildings on the bank and it would also allow for the straightening out of that long and dangerous corner where Mammoth road crosses Varnum avenue at the approach to the bridge.

It was also voted to have a committee of two confer with the Locks & Canals company, or its representatives, relative to canal and river banks, and to have the city engineer prepare a plan for the straightening out of that long and dangerous corner where Mammoth road crosses Varnum avenue at the approach to the bridge.

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DANVERS, MASS., WOMAN RECEIVES BLESSING

Mrs. W. H. Brown Tells How She Was Relieved After Long Suffering

Mrs. W. H. Brown of Danvers, Mass., was a victim of stomach trouble which tortured her for years. She tried many treatments and medicines and got little relief.

Then she took May's Wonderful Remedy and got results right away. In telling of her case she wrote:

"For years I have suffered terribly with stomach trouble. I could find no relief. Then, like a blessing from above, I heard of your remedy; sent for it, and after a few treatments am being cured. I am going to tell all my friends of your marvellous remedy."

May's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

MASS. FIRE LOSS

1914 Heaviest in History of State—Total \$26,194,270

BOSTON, May 17.—Losses by fire in Massachusetts during 1914 were the heaviest in the history of the state, reaching a total of \$26,194,270, according to statistics made public by the state police today. More than half of the total was due to the conflagration in Salem on June 25.

BEGGING RELIEF FUNDS

STATIONS IN TURKEY NEED HELP—STARVATION THREATENED, SAYS CABLE

BOSTON, May 18.—The American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions today received the following cablegram, dated May 15, from the American ambassador at Constantinople, Henry Morgenthau:

"All stations begging relief funds. Some say starvation threatened. Please help quickly."

The stations mentioned are the 17 posts of the board in Turkey.

VILLA'S BROTHER SHOT

MINOR COMMANDER AND SEVEN MEN KILLED AS RESULT OF POLITICAL DISPUTE

EL PASO, Texas, May 17.—General Antonio Villa, a minor commander and a brother of the northern leader, was shot through the head and seven men were killed, among them some Villa officers as the result of a political dispute in a public place at Chihuahua City last night, according to reports reaching here today.

NETHERLANDS' PRELATE IN ROME

ROME, May 18.—The declaration has been made here that Mr. Wilhelm Nolens, the Netherlands prelate now in this city, was sent with the purpose of establishing a Dutch legation to the Vatican, a mission which was suppressed when diplomatic relations between Holland and the Vatican were interrupted as a result of the failure of the Netherlands minister of foreign affairs to invite Pope Len to the first peace conference at The Hague.

SPOKE IN BILLENICA

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers addressed a large gathering of operatives of the "Tahot" mills in North Billerica at noon yesterday, speaking on "Organization." He also urged the operatives to attend the open meeting of woolen spinners to be held in Trades & Labor hall tomorrow night.

NEW CEMETERY COMMISSION

The new cemetery commission will meet to organize Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The commission was organized by the city council and the mayor, Commissioner Harris, notified the mayor that Commissioner Richy is sick and could not attend a meeting today.

THE MEMORIAL BUILDING

Commissioner Putnam stated yesterday that it had been decided not to include a public hall in the reconstruction of the Memorial building, and that the old lines of the building will be followed so that externally, at least, the building will be almost exactly the same as the old building. There will be some change, however, on the interior but the building will be used for the same purposes as heretofore.

BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work. People afflicted with bad breath get quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

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NOTHING TO ARBITRATE

U. S. Stands Firmly on Absolute Justice of its Position—Austrian Ambassador Meets Sec. Bryan

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Dr. Constantine Dumba, the Austrian ambassador, had a long conference today with Secretary Bryan and other state department officials. While the ambassador would not discuss the subject of his cult the circles that he had well informed circles that he had endeavored to sound out feeling with a view to assisting in a peaceful settlement of the situation with Germany. It is known that the Austrian ambassador and Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, have been in close consultation for several days and that Austria is watching with deep interest the course of events between the United States and her ally, Germany. It is known that the ambassador is preventing any rupture in friendly relations.

The seriousness of the sinking of the Lusitania with the loss of American lives, the intense feeling it has aroused in the United States and the country wide support which has been given to President Wilson's note are facts which the ambassador are understood to have communicated to their respective governments. It was believed, also, that they had cautioned extreme care for the present at least in submarine warfare, to avoid any act which would further intensify feeling in the United States.

That the United States stands firmly on the absolute justice of its position, both from a legal and humane point of view and therefore has nothing to arbitrate, was the information which American officials gave as the answer to suggestions that Germany would offer to arbitrate the questions raised in the American note.

THE LADY'S WORKBAG

A basket tray for the dressing table, can be made with a pair of embroidery hoops, the six-inch size and twelve inches of whalebone. Wind both hoops and also the whalebone with half-inch satin ribbon of any preferred plain color. Then stretch a piece of Dresden ribbon or silk over the smaller hoop, fastening on the outside of the hoop, and also fasten the whalebone handle to the smaller hoop.

Slip the large hoop in place and over the center and the hoops, through the center and the foundation ribbon basket is complete.

Gather a piece of val insertion slightly more narrow than the hoops, through the center and sew across the handle and around the larger hoop. A bow or small bunch of ribbon flowers where the handles are joined, finishes the basket tray and it is ready for the dressing table, to be used for jewelry, odds and ends, or other purposes.

The circular foot cushion has returned to its own, and the home of luxury will boast of several to place beneath dainty slippers, perhaps on the veranda of the summer home. These are very elaborate and every woman will love the beautiful ornament. Cushions, reminiscent of the court of Louis XVI, for all the beauties had their foot cushions during this picturesque period.

The design has a foundation of rose Du Barry silk fitted over a circular cushion filled with down. These are purchasable in the needlework department of any large shop. Arabian lace of a deep cerise color, fitted smoothly over the top and the bottom and a band of puffing, also of the lace, covers the side.

A narrow gilt braid finishes the top and bottom where they join the sides. Ornamenting the top is a garland of ribbon flowers in tones of rose shading down to a pale pink to a deep Du Barry rose. Pale blue ribbon is interwoven with the roses and foliage.

For a "Guest" Luncheon

An intimate friend drops in during the morning. Before you know it, it's twelve o'clock. The morning work has been at a standstill—lunch is unprepared. The butcher hasn't been given a thought.



That's the time when BOOTH'S CRESCENT BRAND SARDINES

come to the rescue. A pot of tea, a few slices of bread and a can of these most appetizing, delicious big fish make a lunch that is unexcelled.

There's enough in a can for four persons—six to eight big fish. They are packed in three sauces; tomato, mustard and soused, to suit your taste.

They are unusual in flavor and unusual in size. Each fish is five to seven inches. They are called Sardines only because Uncle Sam says they belong to the Sardine family.

When you ask for them say "Booth's" Sardines. If you don't your grocer will think you mean the ordinary kind. There is no substitute. Insist on Booth's.

Ask for the Recipe Book

You will be surprised and pleased with the many suggestions in this little book for dainty meals you can prepare in ten minutes. Your grocer will have a copy or you can write to V. H. DUDLEY & Co., 7 India St., Boston.

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ELSIE JANIS APPEARING IN "BETTY IN SEARCH OF A THRILL" AT THE MERRIMACK SQ. THEATRE, THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Andrew Mack will be welcomed back to Lowell for the first half of the present week, even if only in motion pictures. "The Ragged Earl," which was one of the actor's best comedy plays, is being shown today and tomorrow at the B. F. Keith theatre with the favorite actor in the title character, and yesterday it made a very strong impression.

Little more to reiterate the fact that Mack was always a well-liked figure in this city, and that all of his plays drew very large audiences. The picture version of "The Ragged Earl" picture version of the play, as it is called, is being shown today and tomorrow at the B. F. Keith theatre with the favorite actor in the title character, and yesterday it made a very strong impression.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

"Maria of the Lowlands," featuring the renowned New York dramatic star who appears for the first time in motion pictures, is a most pleasing head-line attraction at the Academy of Music today and tomorrow. The Academy has received well merited commendation from discriminating theatre-goers for the admirable manner in which the management has maintained the highest standard in the selection of photo plays. Another two-reel chapter in "The Black Box" will be shown today and tomorrow with other good pictures.

TOOK BUS AT GUN POINT

BROCKTON MOTOR CAR DRIVER ORDERED TO GET OUT AT LONGLY SPOT

BROCKTON, May 18.—A local jitney bus was made to serve the ends of two prospective thieves here last night, according to the story of William Turner of 155 Winthrop street, owner of the conveyance.

Turner says at 3:15 the men chartered him to take them to the Brockton Country club, on Copeland street, a lonely district.

On arriving at the waiting station of the club, a dark spot, the jitney's owner says the passengers jumped out and one held the muzzle of a revolver against his breast, exclaiming: "We need this car. We've got a little job to do."

Turner reluctantly obeyed the revolver holder's injunctions to separate himself from the bus and was further told, he says, that if he moved from his stationary position in the road until the bus was out of sight he would be shot.

When the bus was out of sight Turner hurried to notify the police. The confiscation of the bus was reported to the police of the neighboring towns. Up to midnight it had not been located.

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WHITE WAY CELEBRATION

Board of Trade Arranges Program and Invites City Officials—Big Lowell Day Planned

The final arrangements for the big celebration to be held in this city on the evening of May 26 in conjunction with the opening of the great white way were completed at a meeting of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade, which was held late yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the organization in Central street, and according to plans the event will be a notable one in the history of the Spindle City.

The chief centre of attraction will be Monument square, where a large platform will be erected on the steps of city hall from which the mayor will turn on the switch, which will throw on the "juice" in all the new lights with the exception of those from Colburn street to Cabot street in Merrimack street and from the railroad station in Middlesex street to McIntire street. These sections will be ready at a later date and it is believed the business men of the districts will arrange for celebrations of their own.

According to plans a brass band will give a concert at city hall and when the signal to throw on the current will be given by means of red fire, the band will strike up the "Star Spangled Banner" and the large audience will sing the national hymn.

The members of the board of trade will gather at their quarters on that night and as soon as darkness sets in they will board automobiles and headed by a brass band will go through the illuminated section. The mayor and other members of the municipal council will be invited to take part in the parade. The route of the parade will be from the corner of Central and Middle streets to Merrimack street, to city hall. Then back to Central, Middlesex as far as the railroad station; countermarch to Central, Cornhill, Little Appleton, Central, Prescott, Merrimack and Bridge as far as the bridge.

The plans for the Lowell day event, which will occupy almost the whole day, are also completed and arrangements have been made for special electric cars to leave the surrounding cities and towns in the forenoon and afternoon and it is hoped to keep the large crowd in this city until after the formal opening of the white way. Aviator William S. Luckey has been hired to do aerial stunts at 12:30 and 3:30 p. m. and while in the air the aviator will drop "bombs" which will contain valuable orders for goods at local stores. The visitors will be given a free return ticket providing they purchase \$2 worth of goods in Lowell stores.

NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Rep. Jewett Urges Passage of Boston & Maine Bill—Film Bill Engrossed

BOSTON, May 18.—The state house of representatives began yesterday afternoon the discussion of the bill for reorganizing the Boston & Maine railroad and was still talking on it at adjournment. The debate will go on today. Mr. Cross of Royalston opened with a motion that when the bill came up the house should as a committee of the whole invite George W. Anderson, George L. Magbury, Tax Commissioner Trefry and C. W. Croker to address the committee.

Messrs. Sawyer of Ware, Lyle of Gloucester and Atwood of Boston favored the motion; Sherburne of Brookline, Kennard of Somerville and Washburn of Worcester opposed, and the motion was defeated, 27 to 57, on a rising vote, a rollcall being refused.

The debate was disappointing. Although several long speeches were made, they furnished little light on either side, but were given up chiefly to a recital of events which led to the existing railroad conditions in New England. The house paid scant attention, several members who had clamored the loudest for information spending most of the afternoon in the lobbies and retiring room.

Mr. Jewett of Lowell, house chairman of the committee on railroads, outlined the serious condition of the Boston & Maine and predicted that the road would probably go into the hands of a receiver unless the bill was passed. He said the opposition was wholly destructive.

Mr. Sawyer of Ware urged nine amendments. Mr. Atwood of Boston spoke for 40 minutes against the bill, dwelling particularly on the Hampden road. Mr. E. F. McLaughlin of Boston said he believed some bill should be passed, but balked on the Hampden road section. Mr. Washburn of Worcester favored the bill and Mr. Giblin of Boston opposed it.

Mr. Bothfield of Newton said just before adjournment that he hoped to be able to offer today a Hampden section which would be satisfactory to all concerned.

Judge Knowlton and other trustees of the Boston & Maine had seats in the gallery during the debate. Mrs.

Cox, the wife of the speaker, also was an attentive listener. It was her first visit to the house since her marriage. By a vote of 130 to 57 the house concurred with the senate in amendments to the bill appropriating the cost of the new Wellington bridge.

Mr. L. F. Sullivan of Boston offered an order directing the attorney-general to investigate the supply of ice; the order went over to today.

In the Senate The state senate yesterday passed to be engrossed the bill commonly known as the "Birth of a Nation" bill, creating the mayor and police commissioner of Boston and the chief justice of the municipal court as a board to pass on theatrical licenses in this city with one amendment, a majority of the board shall control its act. The house bill required that the board must be unanimous before it could suspend licenses.

Notice was received from the house that it insisted on its amendments to the physician's registration and the mechanics' liens bills. Pres. Coolidge appointed committees of conference. The bill to authorize the directors of the port of Boston to build a street railway from the fish pier to Summer street was passed to be engrossed.

The report of the committee on fisheries and game, referring to the next general court the recommendation of the commission on economy and efficiency, was accepted without debate. The committee on mercantile affairs reported a bill, based on the petition of W. D. T. Trefry, to revive the charter of the Massachusetts Loan company and to confirm its acts.

The committee on the judiciary filed five bills, one providing that companies which place insurance under the Workmen's Compensation act shall establish a bureau to gather statistics and other information and to establish and adjust premium rates, and the others cover technical phases of liability insurance.

Speaker Cox the Host With great success, Speaker Chamberlain H. Cox last evening revived the practice of long standing, though abandoned in recent years of dining the house committee on rules and the chairman of the other house committees. Included in the invitation, too, were the political reporters of the Boston newspapers.

Statesmen and scribes motored from Beacon hill shortly after 5 p. m. in the Belmont Spring Country club, where there was feasting and merriment. No set program clouded the end of gayety, but there was much informal speaking, thus restoring the ante-prorogation house dinner as a tradition of the commonwealth.

Joint Committee Dines The joint legislative committee on roads and bridges held a dinner at the Quincy house last night attended by several pleasing features. With the exception of Senator Julius Garst, Worcester, who was ill, the full committee was present with Senator Hail's presiding.

The features were the presentation of a silk hat and hat box to Chairman Hail, a silver-mounted and engraved cane to House Chairman Harry C. Foster of Gloucester, and a fountain

OPENING AT LAKEVIEW

SELECTION OF DRACUT GRANT SUNDAY LICENSES TO THE BAY STATE RAILWAY COMPANY

Despite the fact that the residents of Collinsville have petitioned the board of selectmen not to grant a Sunday license for Lakeview to the Bay State Street Railway Co. until the company agrees to issue free transfers on the Lakeview avenue line as far as the junction of Mammoth road, the company at the last meeting of the town officials received all the permits necessary to carry on its business at the park as in former years.

The petitioners were given a hearing, some time ago, but before they were heard the selectmen held a conference with the officials of the railroad company so that at their last meeting they were in a position to decide the question, for they had heard both sides of the argument. The permits were granted with the understanding that all places of amusement, etc., must be closed not later than 12 p. m.

The slaughtering establishments of the town were given notice that they are now only allowed to kill on three half-days a week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, this being the result of the severe cut in the annual appropriation for the inspection of meats which was reduced to \$500, the amount expended last year being \$1014. It is believed a special meeting will be called very soon to remove this restriction.

TRAMPS BURNED TO DEATH

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., May 18.—At least five tramps were burned to death yesterday when a Missouri Pacific freight train was wrecked. Two carloads of silver bullion melted as a result of the intense heat caused by the exploding and burning of the contents of 10 oil tanks. No heat made the rescue of the imprisoned men impossible. The bullion ran into a field near the track.

Labor leaders recently ordered striking milk drivers at Chicago on the water wagon as a war measure.

The American Federation of Labor has increased its membership in 34 years from 50,000 to over 2,000,000.

According to reports, unemployment in England and Ireland has increased as a result of the war and there is plenty of work to be found.

The Carpenters' union will meet tonight in the union quarters in the Ruskis building and business will be transacted.

According to reports the U. S. Cartridge Co., employed about 2,500 hands last week. This number will be materially increased when the new plants are put in operation.

An open meeting of woolen spinners will be held in Trades & Labor hall tonight. Organizer, Thomas E. McMahon, of the United Textile Workers will charge.

George Goddard, the well known distance runner who is employed on the night shift at the U. S. Cartridge Co., will be entered in the coming meet to be conducted at the Bunting grounds.

Miss Nellie Thomas, a popular young lady employee of the Lowell Weaving Co., has been signed to play with one of the leading girl baseball teams of the city.

In the six weeks' operation of the government plan to increase the jobless man with the manless job, the postoffice and labor departments found employment for 1,245 men.

Organizer Daniel E. Whelan, arrived in this city last night after attending to important business in Providence, R. I. He spent Sunday night with his family in Brockton, Mass.

Organizer Ross Hall of the American Federation of Labor who is also New England business agent for the Massachusetts international arrived in this city yesterday.

Organizer John Gillespie of the Teamsters' union, who is stationed in Boston arrived in this city yesterday afternoon.

The Brewery Workers' union of New York has adopted a new rule, according to which no citizen who has not taken out his first citizen's papers can become a member of the union.

Manuel Machia, the unfortunate switchman who had legs severed above the knees yesterday morning by being run over by a shifter, probably slipped while in the act of throwing a switch.

William Liston, secretary of the Leather Workers' union, who is employed in the tanning department of the American Hide & Leather Co., has been offered a more remunerative position in the tanning department of the same plant. It is understood that he will accept.

Better child labor legislation has been successfully blocked by the cotton manufacturers of North Carolina.

Don to the clerk, Representative Albert Halloway of Bourne. The presentations were made by Representatives George R. Waterman of Williamstown, Carl C. Emery of Newburyport and A. Schuyler Clapp of Norfolk.

Others present were Senator John F. Sheehan of Holyoke and Representatives Patrick J. Curley of Cambridge, Orlando McKenzie of Foxboro and Alfred J. Moore of Boston.

Legislative Record

The progress of the Massachusetts legislature of 1915 to date as compared with that of last year is as follows:

TRIP TO NEWPORT

Atlantic Fleet Eager for the Great Naval War Game

NEW YORK, May 18.—Naval activity succeeded a week of social and naval functions on board the warships of the Atlantic fleet early today when the signal was flashed from Admiral Fletcher's flagship, the Wyoming, to prepare to go to sea. Stragglers on shore hurried on board the various warships as launches were swung upon davits and everything was stowed in preparation for the trip to Newport where the fleet was to rendezvous. Eager for the great naval war game and refreshed by a long rest in port, the sailors viewed the prospect of another cruise with delight. Lying off the statue of liberty was the naval yacht Mayflower with President Wilson and a party of government officials on board, waiting to review the four mile line of fighting craft.

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SUNDAY DECLINES CALL

INVITED TO ENGLAND TO AID IN PROHIBITION FIGHT—THE RAIN SPOUS MINISTERS' GAME

PATERSON, May 18.—Intermittent rain and a muddy field changed Billy Sunday's ball-playing plans yesterday and prevented him from getting into togs for the first time since he laid aside the uniform of the Chicago Nationals.

Billy had hoped to play center field for a team of ministers against a newspapermen's nine for charity yesterday afternoon and Cardiff and Roddeheaver were to have filled in for the ministers, too. But Billy promised to play later in the week if the game could be arranged.

Incidentally Billy made it known that he will not go to England to lead the prohibition fight, as he was invited to do. He told newspapermen he was adverse to talking on temperance unless incidental to a religious revival. Billy thinks the church is not backing up the liquor fight with enough energy.

Y. M. H. A. NOTES

A delegation of twenty members of the Y. M. H. A., headed by Frank J. Van Greenberg, Sigmund Rostler and Len Cohen, motored to Ayer last Sunday afternoon to meet the three boys of this city who are on the hike to 'Frisco. The three boys left Ayer last night for Clinton.

DIED OF BROKEN HEART

BOSTON, May 18.—Grief over the death of his wife, who passed away Saturday, is said to have been the cause of the sudden death yesterday morning of Edward C. Winther, aged 52, at his home, 111 East 7th street, South Boston. He was found dead in bed and Medical Examiner Magrath, who was called, said, after hearing the particulars, that Mr. Winther died of a broken heart.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 166 Merrimack street.

will be held within a short time at which Charles L. Baine, general secretary-treasurer, will be the principal speaker.

Members' Union, Local 55

A meeting of the Members' union, Local 55, was held last evening at Cotton Spinnery hall, Middle street, with a good sized attendance present. Reports concerning the labor forward movement were read and Secretary Charles E. Anderson reported on the business transacted at the conference of members held recently in Providence, R. I.

Business in the various shops about the city was reported on by fair. A communication containing the following figures was received from the international union and read at the meeting: Since Jan. 1, 1910, to Dec. 31, 1914, \$938,245.25 has been paid in death benefits and \$105,200 in total disability benefits. From Jan. 1, 1910, to Dec. 31, 1914, \$2,325,373 has been paid in sick benefits and \$1,000,000 in funeral expenses.

Former Lowell Mill Man

Otto Muller, formerly of this city, who is connected with Cheney Bros. of South Manchester, Conn., is probably one of the most widely known mill men in New England.

Mr. Muller began his mill career under his father in one of the biggest mills in Europe, manufacturing woollens and worsteds. For the next six years he spent his time learning all the details of the woolen and worsted trade. After that he went to work for a card manufacturer and was for some time after an overseer of carding in a country commission mill, and finally, this position he went on the road erecting textile machinery.

Driven by a desire to learn more of the methods in American mills he resigned the latter position and came to Lowell where he secured employment at the Bigelow Carpet Co. He stayed with the local company for three years, and during this time he studied assiduously in the Lowell Textile school the theory of worsted yarn making. Leaving Lowell he went to work for the Hamilton Carpet Co. and a short time ago he resigned his position with them to go to Cheney Bros. of South Manchester, Conn.

Local friends of Mr. Muller say that his mill career has been so practical that he has developed into a specialist as well as a theoretical mill man, and one who has learned the lesson well of combining efficiency with practice.

We have an exceptionally fine stock of Wedding Rings in 14 and 15 kt. Geo. H. Wood, 135 Central street.

34 ARRESTS IN RAIDS

TWO HOLYOKE WOMEN ASSESSED \$200 EACH—TWENTY-ONE MEN AND 11 GIRLS FINED \$20 EACH

HOLYOKE, May 18.—Fines aggregating \$1040 were imposed in police court yesterday as the result of raids made early Sunday morning.

"Reddy" Williams and Cora Osborne were fined \$100 each for keeping disorderly houses and \$100 each for illegal liquor keeping. Eleven girls and 21 men taken in the raids were fined \$20 each under fictitious names.

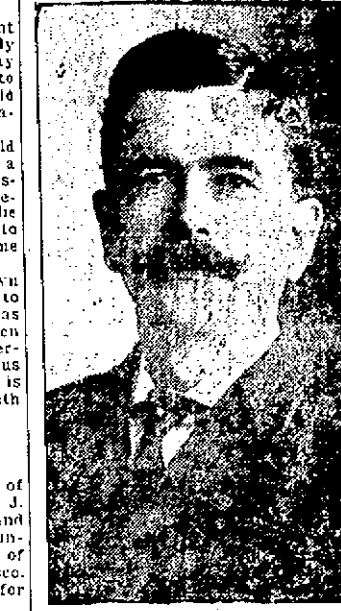
INJURED ON THE ALLEYS

Christopher Lampios of 113 Lewis street, employed at the New Jewel alleys on Merrimack street, slipped and fell while running on an alley last night and sustained a fracture of his right hip. He was removed in the ambulance to the Lowell General hospital.

Best printing: Tobin's Asso. Bldg.

Hairs Will Vanish After This Treatment (Toilet Helps)

FORESTERS' CONVENTION



JAMES J. GALLAGHER, Past Grand Chief Ranger



WILLIAM H. STAFFORD, Grand Secretary

Lowell Courts Well Represented at Springfield—List of the Local Delegations Attending

Seven of the eight local courts of Foresters of America were represented at the opening of the 27th annual convention of the grand court of Massachusetts, which took place at 9 o'clock this forenoon in the Cooley house, Springfield.

The length of the convention depends upon the amount of business to be transacted and it is thought that this year's meeting will occupy at least two days.

Grand Chief Ranger Joseph M. Gulse of Chicopee is presiding.

Court General Shields of this city is not represented at the convention by delegates according to the official list given out by the grand court. Besides the regular delegates chosen by the different courts, James J. Gallagher of this city is attending as past grand chief ranger and William H. Stafford as grand secretary.

Much business pertaining to the progress of the order will be discussed this afternoon and evening and tomorrow. Tomorrow the annual election of officers will take place and William H. Stafford is a candidate for re-election to the office of grand secretary.

The official list of delegates from the local courts is as follows: Court Merrimack, No. 11: John F. Hendricks, J. W. Sharkey, Charles L. Madden, Owen O'Snell and Thomas F. Kelley.

Court Middlesex, No. 23: Edward Brick, Daniel H. Quinn and John H. Condon.

Court City of Lowell, No. 30: Patrick McGilly and Thomas E. O'Dea.

Court Samuel de Champlain, No. 19: Joseph Sabourin and George Ouellette.

Court Wampanoag, No. 51: William A. Kelley.

Court Scandia, No. 182: Nels Nelson, Court General Dimon, No. 217: Mayor Murphy and Stephen Breen.

AUTO TRUCK SKIDDED

Charles Sharf Had Narrow Escape From Injury—Bumped Against the Hamilton Mill

Charles Sharf, the ice cream dealer at the corner of School and Pawtucket streets, had a narrow escape from being injured about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon when the auto-delivery truck which he was driving skidded on Middlesex street and after turning completely around crashed into the wall of the Hamilton mill boiler room, smashing the rear right wheel. Fortunately, Mr. Sharf was not thrown from his seat and escaped injury.

The accident was undoubtedly caused by the slippery condition of the street during yesterday's rain. Mr. Sharf was heading for Central street at a fair rate of speed and when near Elliot street, the machine suddenly skidded. The rear end of the truck was swung across the sidewalk and against the Hamilton mill wall.

EDITOR DIED SUDDENLY

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., May 18.—John O'Neil, editor of the New Britain Herald, died suddenly at his home here from a shock. He was about 50 years old and had been a member of the Herald staff 25 years.

ROBBERY CHARGED

DOVER, N. H., May 18.—Deputy Sheriff Fred E. Goodwin arrived here last night from Boston with Gilbert F. Reynolds, alias Frank A. Smith, who will face the charge of larceny of \$386, a solid gold watch valued at \$100, and a revolver from A. C. Leary at a hotel in this city, July 26, 1913.

Hamilton Watches for graduation gifts. See G. H. Wood, 135 Central street.

SUN FEATURES WEDNESDAY

"The Man in the Moon" Contributes Interesting Article—Other Special Departments

Interesting observations, expressed in a pleasing manner will be contributed to Wednesday's Sun by "The Man in the Moon," who is a favorite with all Sun readers.

Little problems of etiquette which constantly arise will be solved in "Everyday Etiquette," a special feature of the Sun tomorrow.

"In Midway's Boudoir" will tell how to care for the eyebrows.

"What the French Maid Said" will describe the method of making a neat shoe box.

Children will delight in the "Sleepy-time Tale," "The Spider's Web."

Large rocker, wide arm, high back, woven cane seat, piazza rocker, special price, \$1.50 each. Adams & Co., 171 Central street.



How to Dry Clean Your White Gloves

You can do it yourself—quickly, easily and cheaply. Save the tax on your pin-money by cleaning your gloves at home.

You can clean them just as well as at a dry-cleaner's. Nothing so easy as to clean a pair of white gloves.

Place gloves in a fat dish containing a solution of Putnam Dry-Cleaner and gasoline. Brush gloves with a stiff brush or with broom. Rinse in clean gasoline. Think of the dollars the cleaning you can save by this method. Gloves can be cleaned just as well as at a dry-cleaner's. Nothing so easy as to clean a pair of white gloves.

Putnam Dry-Cleaner can be used in a dish, a tub, a pail, or a bucket. It is clean, safe, and does not stain. It is a dry-cleaner's secret. It is a dry-cleaner's secret. It is a dry-cleaner's secret.

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20,000 Austrians Captured

TO PREPARE LOAN ORDER FOR PAWTUCKET BRIDGE

City Solicitor Instructed to Draw
Up \$86,000 Loan Order—City
Council Holds Busy Meeting

The municipal council at its regular meeting today voted to instruct the city solicitor to prepare an order to borrow \$86,000 for the construction of reinforced concrete bridge at Pawtucket falls to take the place of the present bridge.

It was not expected that any action relative to a new bridge would be taken at today's meeting as Mayor Murphy had told the bridge petitioners that the bill now before the legislature asking that Lowell be allowed to borrow \$700,000 beyond the debt limit for a new high school would have a whole lot to do with the new bridge. The mayor said that if the legislature would allow the city to borrow the money for the school that the new bridge and other things could be attended to within the debt limit.

But the mayor was not present at today's meeting. He is attending the State Foresters' convention in Springfield and Commissioner Carmichael, president of the council, presided. Mr. Murphy was not present at the meeting.

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WARNED BY SUBMARINE

Leyland Liner Prevented From
Going to Rescue of Passengers
of Lusitania—40 Miles Away

BOSTON, May 18.—According to her captain, W. F. Wood, the Leyland liner steamer Etonian, which arrived from Liverpool today, was prevented from going to the rescue of the passengers of the sinking Lusitania by a warning that an attack might be made upon his own vessel.

The Etonian left Liverpool the day before the Lusitania disaster. Captain Wood was forty miles from Kinshannon when he received a wireless call from the Lusitania. The call was also picked up by the steamers City of Exeter and Narragansett. The Narragansett, the captain said, was made a target for submarine attack.

Captain Wood said: "I was about 40 miles distant from the position the Lusitania's operator gave me. The Narragansett was closer to the Lusitania."

"At 5 p. m. I observed the City of Exeter cross our bows and she signalled: 'Have you heard anything of the disaster?'"

"At that very moment I saw the periscope of a submarine between the Etonian and the City of Exeter. The submarine was about a quarter of a mile directly ahead of us. She immediately dived as soon as she saw us coming for her. I distinctly saw the splash in the water by her submerging."

"I signalled to the engine room for every available inch of speed and there was a prompt response. Then we saw the submarine come up astern of us. I now ordered full speed ahead and we left the submarine slowly. The periscope remained in sight about 20 minutes. Our speed was perhaps 20 miles an hour better than the submarine's."

"No sooner had we lost sight of the submarine astern than I met another on the starboard bow. This one was directly ahead and on the surface. I starboarded hard away from him, he swinging as we did. About eight minutes later he submerged. I continued at top speed for four hours and saw no more of the submarines. It was the ship's speed that saved her, that's all."

"The Narragansett as soon as she heard the 'S. O. S.' call went to the assistance of the Lusitania. One of the submarines discharged a torpedo at her and missed by not more than eight feet. The Narragansett then warned us not to go to the rescue of the Lusitania and I got her wireless. You can see that three ships would have gone to the assistance of the Lusitania had they not been attacked by the two submarines."

Have a laugh. See Charley Chaplin's comic capers in The Sun every day.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 18.—Fire today destroyed the Sheffield elevator here which was filled to capacity with grain. The loss is said to be \$210,000.

MONTREAL, May 18.—Prominent business men in the city today began a campaign to raise \$100,000 for the Red Cross society in four days. The city headed the subscription list with \$5000.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 18.—After an all morning debate the senate today passed a resolution declaring in favor of a larger navy and calling on Illinois' representatives in congress to adopt a stronger naval policy. The vote was 25 to 15.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—The United Railways operating most of the street railway lines in San Francisco was ordered today by the railroad commission of California to pay no more dividends "in the absence of any plan for reorganization" of \$1,025,000 withdrawn from the company's treasury on note by Patrick Calhoun of San Francisco, Cleveland, former president of the company.

CLEVELAND, May 18.—The Cleveland American league baseball team has decided to shift outfielder Joe Jackson to first base. Elmer Smith, pinch hitter, will play right field. Walter Barbare will replace Bill Wambach at third base. The changes are made to improve the hitting strength of the team.

GALES POSTPONED
Federal Brooklyn-Kansas City game postponed, rain.
Federal-Buffalo-St. Louis postponed, rain.
Federal-Baltimore-Chicago game postponed, wet grounds.
American-Washington-St. game postponed, wet grounds.
American-Cleveland-Boston game postponed, wet grounds.
American-Detroit-New York postponed, rain.

Watch Charley Chaplin's funny capers in The Sun every day.

VICTORY FOR THE RUSSIANS

Russians Sweep Through Bukowina
Taking Back Much Territory Which
Had Been Captured by Austrians

A far reaching victory in Bukowina, the Austrian crown land on the eastern extremity of the Russian front, is claimed in an official announcement from Petrograd. According to this statement, the Russians have swept through Bukowina, taking back much of the territory which they held earlier in the war until they were driven out by the Austrians. Their successes are described as of such importance that they more than offset the Austro-German victory in West Galicia in the drive from Cracow. It is reported the Russians have taken Czernowitz, capital of Bukowina, having broken down Austrian resistance over a 90 mile front and captured 20,000 prisoners. Coached Retreat in Poland

The Russian war office concedes a further retreat in Russian Poland between the Pilica and Vistula rivers on part of the long front over which they have been compelled by the Austro-German armies to fall back.

Adler's Attacks Repulsed

The Turkish general staff at the Dardanelles reports that several attacks on the Turkish right wing by the allies have been repulsed with heavy losses.

German Reply Thursday

An Amsterdam despatch to a Paris newspaper says the German reply to the American note will not be despatched on Thursday and that it is expected in Holland that Germany will defend the sinking of the Lusitania and decline to modify her methods of submarine warfare.

Italy's Decision Postponed

The decision of Italy's policy concerning the war apparently has been postponed until after parliament meets.

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FITCHBURG - LOWELL GAME

First Inning
Ritter sent a grounder at Zieser, which bounced over the pitcher's head. Dees and McCleskey both ran for it as the ball was moving slowly. Instead of one of them shooting for it, both ran until within a few feet of the ball when each paused afraid of a collision and the ball rolled safely through center field. Young grew very nervous when umpire Boh called the third strike on him. Duggan marched to the plate and slapped a single to right but Swayne's throw-in held Ritter at second. The fans clapped Zieser when he struck out Smith, after giving him three bad ones. Clay cracked a line drive to Stimpson for the third out and the Fitchburg team took the field. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Swayne opened up for Lowell with a dandy single over second. McCleskey very wisely sacrificed him to second on a grounder which Reiger fielded. Barrows batted one over the fence but it was a foul. The Lowell manager then struck out much to the surprise of everybody, himself included. Stimpson went out on a hard grounder to second base which Ritter fielded. It was a nice play. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 0, Fitchburg 0.
(See Baseball Extra)

JAILS AND PRISONS

HOSPITALS WILL SOON REPLACE THEM, SAYS CLARENCE S. DARROW

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Clarence S. Darrow told the industrial relations commission today he believed the day not far distant when jails and prisons would be abolished and hospitals would take their places.

"I don't mean that some people won't be confined," said he, "but they will be treated for their social ills and not punished. Punishment is barbarism and the people generally are beginning to realize it. Some day we will try to wipe out the causes of crime and doctor criminals instead of abusing and mistreating them."

Most folks believe themselves innocent, no matter what they do, Mr. Darrow thought.

"I believe Rockefeller and Standard Oil have a most evil social influence but Mr. Rockefeller thinks he is innocent as anyone and justifies himself into himself. Everybody thinks himself innocent."

Resistance of military and other constituted authorities if that authority was abusive, Mr. Darrow urged, was justifiable, arguing that liberty always should be maintained by bloodshed. As one of the first steps toward an ideal social community, he urged public ownership of lands, mines, forests and railroads.

"There is no final remedy for unrest except the grave," declared Mr. Darrow.

AUTO STRUCK FENCE

UNKNOWN CHAUFFEUR DID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE ON GORHAM STREET

An automobile driven by an unknown party crashed into a fence in Gorham street near the Butler school this forenoon and caused considerable damage. The owner of the machine is not known for there was no eye witness of the accident. However, it was easy to conceive by the traces left on the sidewalk and lawn that the fence breaker was an automobile. At the scene of Hamilton Burroughs, at 55 Gorham street was partly demolished as was that of Mrs. Murphy next door. As far as could be learned no one was injured and the chauffeur left the premises as fast as he could. The cause of the machine being driven on the sidewalk is not known.

U.S. CARTRIDGE TROUBLE

ALL MEN LAID OFF FOR POOR WORK WILL RETURN TOMORROW MORNING

The trouble which has existed at the U.S. Cartridge Co. since last Saturday when about 15 employees were laid off, has been amicably settled, until such a time as the Albany Journal Superintendent Cahill, having agreed to take all the men back. The men were laid off on Saturday it is reported for poor work, but they claimed they were discriminated against because of the strike which took place at the South Lowell plant about a week ago. They will resume work tomorrow.

NATURALIZATION EXAMINERS
M. Miles Dodge and John F. Davis, U.S. naturalization examiners, were examining candidates for second papers, the candidates who are to appear in court on June 7.

PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heap, of 581 Middlesex street are rejoicing on the birth of a son.
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Tomkins, of 52 Hazel street are being congratulated on the arrival of a baby boy, for their little girl.
Mrs. Woodbury Tuttle, of Haverhill, formerly Miss Annie Adams, is visiting relatives in this city.

U. S. NOTE TO GERMANY PUBLISHED IN BERLIN

Foreign Office Says it Will be
Some Days Before Answer
Will be Ready

BERLIN, May 18.—The official text of the American note to Germany was published here today. It was said at the foreign office that it would be some days before the answer of the imperial government was ready. This because the note raises many points, and consultation between several departments of the government will be necessary in preparing a reply.

REPLY THURSDAY
PARIS, May 18.—Germany's reply to the American note will be sent Thursday, according to the Matin's Amsterdam correspondent. The reply, the despatch says, will justify the attack on the Lusitania on the ground that the submarine commander has affirmed in his report that only one torpedo was fired, the second explosion being due to the fact that the ship carried munitions of war. The report is said to state that the torpedo was fired in such a way the Lusitania would not have sunk if she had not had explosives aboard.

The Matin's correspondent says it is reported in Amsterdam that Germany will throw the responsibility for the disaster on England, and on the American government, and that the American government will be permitted passengers to embark on a ship carrying explosives. It is believed in Holland the correspondent asserts that Germany will decline to modify its methods of submarine warfare.

"PIRATICAL AND INFAMOUS ACTS"
RIO DE JANEIRO, May 18.—Commenting on the American note to Germany the local papers in editorial articles express the view that this communication make it incumbent upon Germany either to make herself hated in North America or cease her "piratical and infamous acts." In defending its interests, the paper says, the United States is defending the interests of all America and of all neutral countries—countries which already should have taken action along these lines.

NO OFFICIAL NOTE
WASHINGTON, May 18.—Ambassador Gerard has transmitted no indication from the German foreign office as to when a reply to the American note may be expected. Secretary Bryan said today nothing of any importance had been received from the ambassador and that the state department was without advice as to when the reply would be sent.

As to the United States seeking a safe conduct for Dr. Bernhard Dernburg when he leaves the country, Secretary Bryan said:

"We have no official knowledge of Dr. Dernburg," and refused to discuss the question further.

Mr. Bryan also refused to discuss whether the administration was considering making further representations to Great Britain over delays in American commerce.

PAID NOTHING FOR STOCKS

Barnes Said He Was Given 750
Shares of Stock of J. B. Lyon
Co. of Albany

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 18.—William Barnes testified under cross examination in the supreme court today in the trial of his \$50,000 libel suit against Theodore Roosevelt that in 1901 he was given 750 shares of stock in the J. B. Lyon Co. of Albany after he had expressed a desire to become a partner of the founder of the printing concern so that he might properly be associated with public printing. Mr. Barnes said, he paid nothing for the stock.

Mr. Barnes endeavored to make it plain that he only intended to remain associated with the Lyon company until such a time as the Albany Journal company would be in a position to handle public printing on its own account, as he said, "It had a perfect right to do."

Of an "agreement" mentioned on the face of a stock certificate issued to him Mr. Barnes said that reflected an understanding he had with J. B. Lyon not to sell the stock to any third party.

He readily admitted that he had written a letter to the Mutual Life insurance company regarding a yearly "honorarium" which was to be paid his father. This letter first came to light during the insurance investigation of 1905.

The cross examination of Mr. Barnes conducted by John M. Egan, chief counsel for Theodore Roosevelt defendant in his suit for libel was concluded during the day and the direct examination was begun.

Plaintiff Rested

The case of the plaintiff rested after Mr. Barnes had offered explanations of various parts of the testimony he gave on cross-examination. William Loeb, Jr., former collector of the port of New York, was then recalled as a witness for the defense. He contradicted witnesses who said he did not meet Mr. Barnes in New York during the deadlock of 1911.

When Mr. Barnes resumed the witness stand Mr. Bowers, chief counsel for the defense, began the day's cross examination with a question relative to the printing contract Mr. Barnes said to James S. Lyon for \$20,000. Justice Andrews recalled to the attention of the attorney that by a ruling made yesterday the witness could not be questioned about printing unless it was intended to assail his credibility.

Mr. Bowers said that he believed that when the full truth about the contract was elicited it would be completely exposed.

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CHALIFOUX'S

THE SICKABED LADY

Have you ever heard of the medicinal qualities of shoemakers' wax? asked nurse. Long before the virtues of antiseptics and peroxide of hydrogen were extolled as healing and antiseptic agents, shoemakers' wax was relied upon in many an old-fashioned home. A bit of shoemakers' wax heated and applied over a bruise or abrasion will draw out any poison that may have entered the wound and prevent danger of that modern horror, infection and its dangerous result, blood poison.

Keep a bit of this old time safeguard in the house, and if somebody steps inadvertently on a rusty carpet tack, or runs a can opener into the

fleshy part of the palm, wash out the wound and clap over it a bit of melted shoemakers' wax, binding a clean bandage over. Or, better still, cleanse the abrasion with peroxide if you have it in the house—everybody should have—and then apply the heated wax. Infection gets in its deadly work before the danger is realized in most cases, and by the time a neglected cut or bruise has begun to look angry and the doctor summoned, he may not be able to prevent a long and annoying case of blood poison, if not an actually dangerous condition.

Some very fine dishes for invalids are contributed by nurse today, all made from beef. Cut a pound best lean steak in small pieces, place in glass fruit jar, cover tightly and set in a pot of cold water; heat gradually to boil and continue this steadily for four hours, until the meat is like white rags and the juice thoroughly extracted; season with very little salt, and strain through a wire strainer. Serve either warm or cold.

When beef tea is wanted for immediate use, place in a common pint yellowware bowl, add very little water, cover with saucer, and place in a moderate oven, if in danger of burning, add a little more water. To make beef tea more palatable for some patients, freeze it.

For beef tea to one pint of beef essence, quite hot, add a teaspoon of the best cream, well heated, into which the yolk of a fresh egg has been previously stirred, also a dash of lemon juice, season slightly and serve.

Nurse thinks those in the country this summer walking should know that poisonous plants are distinctly marked by nature. Old settlers, trappers, Indians, and negroes, all familiar with the woods, will avoid berries that are as smooth as a glass bead all around. They know the roughness at the blown end is a sure indication of non-poisonous qualities.

All fruits of this class, wild or cultivated, so marked, are wholesome. Blackberries, raspberries, cranberries and gooseberries, although exactly in the same class, are still slightly rough at the blown end, and in all varieties, perfectly wild, are safe to handle and to eat.

The deadly nightshade and seed berries of the poison ivy are as sleek and smooth as the blue and as glass. These smooth sleek, wild berries all have poisonous properties. Nature never errs; her sign and symbol is upon them.

I received from nurse today some

Dull, Faded or Lifeless Hair Quickly Restored to Its Natural Beauty

If your hair is anything short of perfect; if it is losing color, too dry, brittle, thin, or if the scalp burns and itches, you should immediately begin the use of Parisian Sage. The first application of this safe and always reliable tonic removes every trace of dandruff, cools and invigorates the scalp and beautifies the hair until it is gloriously radiant.

Parisian Sage supplies all hair needs and does not injure either the hair or scalp. It contains the exact elements needed to make the hair soft and wavy, and to make it grow long, thick and beautiful. It is a delicately-perfumed liquid—not sticky or greasy—that can be had at any drug counter.

Parisian Sage acts instantly—one application stops the head from itching and freshens up the hair. You will be surprised and delighted with this helpful toilet necessity, for nothing else is so good for the hair, and scalp, and nothing so quickly beautifies the hair giving it that enviable charm and fascination. Parisian Sage is one of the quickest acting hair tonics known—luxurious and easily used at home.

Medical hints I think are worth noting. Cure for nose-bleed. Take common white beans, roast until a good brown, then grind them fine and take as snuff. Brown some flour in the oven by a slow fire, and make a gravy of boiled milk with salt and sugar if desired, and it will cure bowen's complaint either with children or adults if no other food is eaten for a day or two.

Cure for rheumatism: five cents' worth of camphor dissolved in a pint of kerosene, apply to skin over the affected joints before retiring and rub well. To clear your voice when snoring, try a gargle of borax and water, or allow a small pinch of the former to melt in your mouth and swallow; this is said to be used by the best singers.

When the feet are sore or tired or burning try taking a teaspoon of epsom salts, a tablespoon of ammonia and a tablespoon of common salt and put into water enough to cover feet to ankles. Soak twenty minutes. Water must be lukewarm or cool not cold.

Nurse has asked me to tell you how to cook cranberries. As they are brought from the market is to meet a keen disappointment in a delicate berry which many persons do not enjoy because its wild flavor is unpleasant to the taste.

Clear the berries, place them in a pan with sufficient water to cover them, and add a half teaspoon of soda. Boil the berries in the soda water until you hear them bursting. Drain the water from them, it will be found a greenish black, rinse them in cold water, then cook with sugar. It removes the "tang" and less sugar is needed to sweeten them if cooked in this way.

The same method can be used successfully in cooking soup beans, from which the greenish water removes a poisonous substance, makes the bean clean and white when cooked, and they cook in less time, too.

A mustard poultice is good, says nurse, used for a counter irritant in case of a pain in the chest, backache, etc. Into one gill of boiling water stir one tablespoon of dry mustard. Equal parts of mustard and flour made into a paste and spread between two pieces of muslin make a mustard plaster.

The proper way to make a mustard plaster so that it will not blister the patient is to use the white of an egg to mix with the mustard instead of water. Another way is to rub the part to be plastered with vasoline and a coating left on the skin.

"TAKING THE CENSUS"

Delightful one Act Comedy to Be Presented in Associate Hall Tomorrow Evening

The final rehearsal of the cast to participate in the one act comedy, "Taking the Census in Blagoville" which will be given at Associate hall tomorrow evening, was held last night and it went off like clockwork. The success of the rehearsal indicates a great performance. All members were present and each gave his or her part in a very efficient manner. The comedy roles are in the hands of clever thespians, and in fact all parts are in charge of capable performers. The piece opens with a lively town meeting and just when all are getting excited over an important issue the census man rushes in and takes charge of the situation. From then until the final curtain it is one continuous round of enjoyment, and all who attend are promised one of the most entertaining evenings of the season. The affair is in charge of the Taharale society of St. Columba's church, and from the large number of tickets already disposed of a record crowd is assured.

NINTH REGT. M. V. M.

Non-Commissioned Officers Elected Officers For the Ensuing Year Yesterday

The members of the Non-Commissioned Officers of the Ninth Regiment, M. V. M. met in Boston yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year with the following result: Regimental Sergeant Major John E. Leydon, Boston, president; Sergt. Gary, company G, Worcester, vice president; Sergt. Collins, Co. E, Boston, secretary-treasurer; Sergt. Erickson, Co. M, Lowell; Sergt. Driscoll, Co. H, Serkt. Friedenberg, Co. A, Boston, auditing committee; Sergts. Walsh, Saunders, Fitzgerald and Hayes, executive committee. It was announced that the regiment will perform its annual tour of duty July 15 at Peter's pond, and on July 12 the regiment will go to Worcester for the annual field day. Col. Edward Logan addressed the gathering and it was voted to hold another meeting on June 27.

TO COMPLETE THE CENSUS

Alexis F. Fectean Wants Residents Who Have Been Missed to Send in Their Names

Alexis F. Fectean, local director of the census enumeration, wants it known that all residents of Lowell who have not been missed on the census enumeration, which is just being completed, are urged to send their names and addresses to the census office, 24 Mt. Vernon street. The work in Lowell is now nearly complete and Mr. Fectean is anxious to clean up the work as speedily as possible. He is going to visit all of the census office on this appeal, be sure to put your street address and the name of the city or town on the letter.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Facts—That Mean Much When Your Health Is Concerned

Your physician when called to the sick room prescribes medicines that his experience has taught him best contend with the case he has to treat—medicines that he has learned to rely upon.

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The physician who is acquainted with his subject knows there are two harmful elements, fusel oil and tannin, in the ordinary commercial or beverage whiskey. While these may not affect the strong, robust person, whiskeys containing an excess of these elements should never be administered to the delicate, aged, or those in need of a pure stimulant, if due regard is given to the digestive process and central nervous forces.

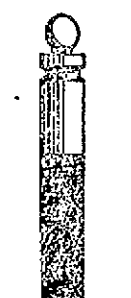
The United States Pharmacopoeia (the Government authority on medicines and their proper preparation) long ago saw the necessity of eliminating as far as possible fusel oil and tannin from whiskey to be used for medicinal purposes. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has always been made for medicinal use only, and contains the least possible amount, less even than the Government standard.

The accompanying charts show the average amount of fusel oil and tannin found in the usual beverage whiskey.

Then you'll note the far smaller amount shown in the U. S. Standard for medicinal whiskey.

In the next it is shown that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

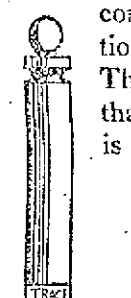
contains even less than mentioned in the U. S. Standard. This chemical analysis proves that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is unlike any other.



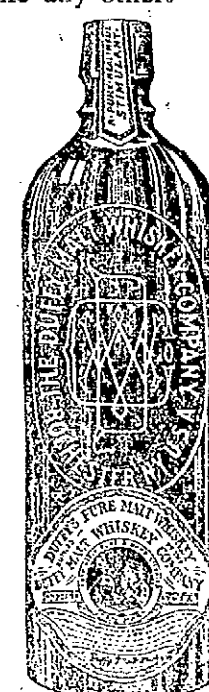
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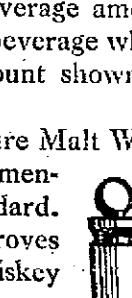
Fusel Oil in U. S. Pharmacopoeia Standard medicinal whiskey.



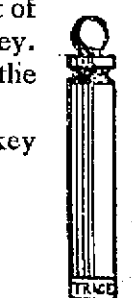
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WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

MAKING GIFTS IN SUMMER

"I have so much to do this summer," complained Marjorie. "That I am afraid I shall have no time to work on gifts as I have always done every year."

"Why not?" asked Marie. "It is not necessary to do needlework every moment to accomplish a lot as it is a task, or pleasure, that can be done at odd moments. Take a breathing space between doing the dishes and making the beds, and pick up the bit of work."

"True, one article a week isn't much, but when you make a practice of continually keeping at it, one gift a week amounts to at least fifty a year, sometimes a little more, and sometimes a little less, according to their size and elaborateness."

"The bag was one of these simple round, puffy little affairs, with a circular disk of silk-covered cardboard forming the bottom, and the straight, hemmed piece of silk which forms the bag is slipped around it. The bag and covering for the draw ribbon are, of course, made in one. The deep hem simply has two rows of stitching run alone it about a half inch of three-quarters of an inch apart."

"Sometimes an inch-wide casing is used. This stitching the hem and the second row forms the casing. The bag may be in either pink or deep yellow silk. Any color, of course, may be used."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

PLANT RESUMES FULL TIME

Bennington, Vt., Machinery Firm, Hit By War Conditions Nearly Year Ago, Has Big Order

BENNINGTON, VT., May 15.—The Charles Cooper estate, manufacturers of knit underwear, machinery and needles, opened yesterday morning with a full focus on full time for the first time in nearly a year.

An order just received is expected to keep the shop running all summer.

About a year ago the company built for a German company a number of machines which it has been unable to ship. Inability to realize on these

machines and the general depression compelled the company to run on a 40-hour schedule for several months and in March it laid off about half of its machinists.

WILL GIVE BIRD TALK Secretary Townsend of the Audubon society of New Hampshire for the Protection of Native Birds will give a talk before the Lowell Fish and Game association on game, song, and "ornamental" birds, on the evening of June 1.

STILL ALARM Hose 7 responded to a still alarm at 7:44 o'clock last evening for a chimney fire in a building at 352 Lawrence street. The property is owned by Michael Murphy. Slight damage.

For Indigestion and Biliousness

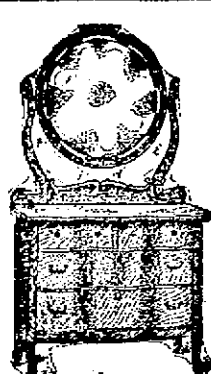
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HURD STREET

MEN'S RETREAT

Great Crowds Nightly at
St. Peter's - Sermon
by Fr. Fallon, O. M. I.

The second night of the men's retreat at St. Peter's church drew an immense crowd last evening, the main church being crowded to the doors a half hour before the services opened, necessitating the opening of the lower chapel, which rapidly filled up. Rev. Fr. Kerwin, O. M. I. led in the recitation of the rosary in the upper chapel, and Rev. Fr. McElroy, O. M. I. preached an eloquent and impressive sermon on the first commandment.

In the lower chapel Rev. Fr. Fallon, O. M. I. recited the rosary and gave a short instruction on the necessity of prayer, urging a close attention to this very important matter in the daily lives of the men. "Too often," he said, "the prayers are omitted almost daily and hence the admonition of the men to be careful in the future."

"Mortal Sin" was the theme of a forceful sermon delivered by Rev. Fr. Fallon, O. M. I. and the reverend gentleman made a profound impression. He drew a telling word picture of sin in all its enormity and heinousness in the sight of God, warning his hearers that if they went along the loose road of sin, without any thought of its wickedness or its violation of God's holy law, that just as surely these souls would be destined to languish with the damned for all eternity. The attainment of heaven and its attendant blessings is a worthy incentive to strive for, and hence the reverend gentleman exhorted the men to shun the occasions of sin and lead upright and holy lives. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament closed the services in both churches.

The attendance at the 5 o'clock mass this morning was even greater than yesterday morning and after mass Rev. Fr. McElroy, O. M. I. gave a most instructive discourse on the second commandment.

AUTOS COMMANDERED

ROME, May 18.—The automobiles of every member of the cabinet, with the exception of Premier Salandra, were commandeered today by the army authorities.

OBLATE BROTHER DEAD

BROTHER FORTIN PASSED AWAY
AT ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL THIS MORNING

Brother Narcisse Fortin, O. M. I., of the Oblate Novitiate, passed away this morning at St. John's hospital, after a brief illness. Deceased had for many years been a member of the community in Tewksbury and was well known in Lowell.

He was born in the diocese of Quebec in 1834. At the age of 34 he made his perpetual oblation as an Oblate of Mary Immaculate and his 19 years spent as a member of the order were years of unflinching attention to duty and devotion to the practices of his religious vocation. Brother Fortin served the Oblate order in his capacity as a lay brother in several of the houses of this order in this country, notably in Buffalo, Plattsburg and Tewksbury. At all times and places his exemplary life was a source of great edification to his superiors and of great consolation to his superiors. He was of a quiet and retiring disposition so that he may be said to have combined all those qualities so desired in a religious.

He continued to perform his duties up to within the last few weeks and his calm, peaceful death seemed but a passage from the toil and labor of this life to the reward of a well earned and merited rest in the bosom of the Lord.

On Wednesday evening the Office of the Dead will be chanted in the chapel of the novitiate and the funeral will take place from there Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

BARNES-ROOSEVELT CASE

continued

petent evidence for the jury to consider and he was allowed to continue.

"You said an eleven thousand dollar interest was retained by you in the McCarthy contract?" questioned Mr. Bowers.

"Yes I think so, early in 1909."

"Did you see Mr. Davis (state attorney general before or after the printing bids were opened?"

"It must have been after."

Mr. Barnes identified a letter dated in 1909 which he wrote to Thomas C. Platt.

"In that letter you say you were in

all daily conference with Mr. Davies. Is that true?"

"Almost daily, I guess that's right."

"I call your attention, Mr. Barnes, to this record of bids made to the printing board at the time of the McCarthy bid. Do you figures there refresh your memory?"

"I do not know anything about those figures. I testified to that yesterday."

Mr. Bowers offered the record and Mr. Lyons objected. Mr. Bowers then asked Mr. Barnes whether he knew there were seven bidders for the contract. Mr. Barnes said he did not.

The witness admitted he knew there were other bidders for the printing contract besides Mr. McCarthy and the Lyon company, but said he was surprised that the difference between the Lyon and the McCarthy bids was \$100,000.

Mr. Lyons had asked the witness to see Mr. Davies, a member of the printing board. It was after the contract had been awarded that Mr. McCarthy went to the witness and asked him to buy it. Mr. Barnes testified.

The witness did not remember if there was any agreement on the price.

"Did you transfer the contract direct to James B. Lyon?"

"Yes."

"Now was the agreement you made with Mr. Lyon couched in practically the same language that appears in the minute book?"

"It must have been."

"When did you receive your pay?"

"I have told you I transferred the \$20,000 to the Journal company. When I received the \$11,000 from Mr. Lyon that completed the transaction."

"Now, there was nothing you had done to justify Mr. Lyon paying you a salary?"

"No, of course not."

"When did you cease advocating the awarding of contracts to the Lyon company?"

Mr. Lyons objected.

"Did you tell Mr. Davies you wanted the contract awarded to some person or corporation in Albany that had a printing establishment rather than to Mr. McCarthy, who had no adequate plant in which to do the work?"

"I did."

"You said yesterday you told Mr. Davies you hoped Lyon would get the contract?"

"I said all those things."

Mr. Bowers re-introduced letters that passed between Barnes and Gov. Roosevelt. These letters were placed in the record during the early days of the trial and were later stricken out along with other evidence about printing offered in justification.

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BIG FLEET OF WARSHIPS PROTEST AGAINST WAR

FIVE-MILE LINE REVIEWED BY PRES. WILSON AS IT PASSED THE MAYFLOWER

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Headed by the super-dreadnaught Wyoming, Admiral Fletcher's flagship, the 16 big battleships and their train of lesser fighting craft steamed past the presidential yacht at the smart speed of 14 knots, each ship with its sailors and marines standing at the rail at attention. Each craft bearing the Mayflower fired a presidential salute of 21 guns.

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INTRANSIGENT SOCIALISTS PROCLAIMED A GENERAL STRIKE AT TURIN, ITALY

TURIN, Italy, May 17, via Paris, May 18.—Intransigent socialists proclaimed a general strike here today as a protest against war. The military authorities were compelled to adopt severe measures to maintain order.

All means of transportation were closed by the strike. Following a meeting of neutralists a violent demonstration against war was begun, leading to a clash with the police and soldiers in which several persons were shot.

One of the most interesting and unique features of the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium work this year will be the exhibition of national and folk dancing in costume, to be given in Associate hall this evening, at 8.15 o'clock. The program is one of interest throughout. Each class in the gymnasium has a part.

The program is as follows:

"How Do You Do?" An American folk dance; Dutch "Windmill" dance; "Sambas," Japanese; Irish jig; modern frolic; Valva Vndmal, Swedish waltz; Scotch reel; Kamarskaskala, Russian; "Tanke Doodle" polka; "Moulinet," Russian; "Ciciliano," Italian; Danish "Ring" dance.

The program is under the direction of Miss Washburn, physical director.

FOUR OF CLUBS

A meeting of the Four of Clubs was held in the club quarters in Odd Fellows building last night at which final arrangements were made for the banquet to be tendered by the friends of the members at Camp Temple, May 30. President James McEvoy was in the chair and called to order promptly at 8 o'clock. The report of the banquet committee was first submitted and after some discussion it was accepted as was the report of the entertainment committee which followed. Following the business session an informal meeting of the members contributed was enjoyed.

FUNERAL NOTICES

GALLAGHER—The funeral of Michael Gallagher will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 161 Grand street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. In charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FITZGERALD—The funeral of Jennie Fitzgerald will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Services at St. Peter's church at 3.30 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

JENNINGS—Died in this city, May 17, at the Old Ladies' Home, Mrs. Abigail Jennings, aged 90 years. 12 months. Funeral services will be held from the Old Ladies' Home, No. 520 Fletcher street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30. Friends invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

MAHONEY—The funeral of Sergt. Denis Mahoney will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 18 New street at 9.15 o'clock. At St. Peter's church a funeral high mass will be sung at 9.15 o'clock. Interment will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker J. J. O'Donnell in charge.

ROBERTS—Died May 15, in this city, Mrs. Louisa C. Roberts, at her home, 81 Fulton street. The funeral services will be held at 14 Stevens street, Wednesday afternoon, May 19, at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial will be in the family lot in the Spring Grove cemetery at Andover, Mass. Undertaker George W. Healey in charge.

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Lot of Coats, black and white checks, several styles, \$5.00 and \$6.00 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$2.98**

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All Wool Black and Blue Serge and Black and White Check Skirts, \$1.98 and \$2.98 value. Anniversary Price **\$1.50**

\$5.00 and \$5.98 Skirts in Serge and Poplin, including extra large belt measure up to 36. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

Anniversary Sale of MILLINERY

40 Dozen Genuine Panamas, value \$2.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

10 Dozen Colored Hats, good shapes, value \$1.50. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

50 Trimmed Hats, value \$2.50 to \$4.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

50 Children's Trimmed Hats, value \$1.50 to \$3.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

Large Black and White Shapes, value \$2.50 to \$5.00. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

50 Trimmed Hats, value \$5.00 to \$8.50. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

50 Ostrich Plumes, value \$3.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.79**

Our entire stock of better quality Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats reduced 1-3 off their former values.

Anniversary Sale MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Colored Dresses, in ginghams and chambray, all the newest summer styles, sizes 2 to 6 years, regular price 59c. Anniversary Sale Price **49c**

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 2 to 5 years, regular price 49c. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 10 and 12 years, regular price \$1.49. Anniversary Sale Price **49c**

Women's Petticoats in black and colors, regular price 49c. Anniversary Sale Price **29c**

Women's House Dresses in all sizes, regular price 69c. Anniversary Sale Price **35c**

Children's Summer Coats, all sizes, regular price \$3.98 and \$4.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

Children's Rain Capes, sizes 6 to 14 years, colors blue and red, regular price \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

SUMMER WAISTS

Lingerie and Semi-Tailored Waists, long and short sleeves with rolling collars, made of voile with embroidered fronts, others of fine madras, good values, worth 79c. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Crepe, Voile and Muslin Waists, made of striped crepes with organdie collar and cuffs, very neat. Others in all white fancy crepes and voile, long and short sleeves with new convertible collars. Worth \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Silk Waists, of good quality Jap. Silks, in all white all over embroideries. Others in plain silk, black and white, Chin Chin silk in assorted colored stripes, very stylish, worth \$1.50. Anniversary Sale Price **88c**

Lingerie Waists, made from the latest models in all the newest materials, very smart and of excellent value, worth \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **98c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF NECKWEAR

Lace Collars, all boned, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Swiss Embroidered Collars, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Muslin Cuff and Collar Sets, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Shaded Silk Ties, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF RIBBONS

Moire and Plain Silk Ribbons, four inches wide, regular price 15c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **10c**

Silk and Satin Ribbons, five and six inches wide, regular price 19c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **12 1/2c**

Dresden and Plaid Ribbons, regular price 25c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **19c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck sleeveless, 12 1/2c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **6 1/2c**

Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless with lace bottom or cuff knee, 30c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Women's Lisle Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 50c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Misses' Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Boys' Union Suits, low neck, short sleeves, cuff knee, 30c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WASH GOODS

Yard Wide Percale, regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Yard Wide Manchester Percales, regular price 12 1-2c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Apron and Dress Gingham, regular price 6c. Anniversary Sale Price **6c**

Yard Wide Fancy Crepe and Voiles, short ends, regular price 25c and 39c. Anniversary Sale Price **12 1/2c**

Madras, suitable for shirts and waists, regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

Muslins and Dimities, regular price 12 1/2c. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

Fancy Pongee in all shades, regular price 12 1-2c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SILKS

36 Inch Silk Faille Poplins in all the new shades, value 80c. Anniversary Sale Price **69c**

40 Inch All Silk Poplins, in all the new shades, regular price \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

24 Inch Fancy Black and White Poplins, evening shades and dark, regular price 80c. Anniversary Sale Price **59c**

36 Inch Black Taffeta Silk, regular price \$1.10. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

36 Inch Black Messaline, value \$1.19. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Women's Black Lisle Hose, double heel and toe, double garter top, regular 19c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, 2 PAIRS FOR **25c**

Women's Cotton Hose, black only, double soles, high spliced heels, double garter tops. A regular 15c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **9c**

Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1-1 rib, double knees, heels and toes, a 12 1/2c quality, broken lots. Anniversary Sale Price **4 PAIRS 25c**

Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors, high spliced heels, double soles, very sheer quality, value 19c pair. Anniversary Sale Price **2 PAIRS 25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WOMEN'S GLOVES

2-Clasp Kid Gloves, Paris point embroidery in tan, gray, white and black, broken lots. A regular \$1.00 quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **63c**

Women's 16-Button Length, Silk Gloves, in black, white, pink, blue, double finger tips, regular \$1.00 quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **55c**

2-Clasp Silk Gloves in white only, double finger tips, 50c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

Women's Fine Chambray Suede Gloves, 2-clasp, white only, washable, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **19c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF BAGS

Women's Black Leather Hand Bags, fitted with purse and mirror, strap or ribbon handles in an assortment of styles, regular price 79c. Anniversary Sale Price **47c**

Women's Leather Hand Bags, made of real leather, some with leather and silk linings, large and medium sizes and fitted with purse and mirror in tan, black and navy. Values up to \$2.00. Anniversary Sale Price **79c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF TOILET GOODS

Peroxide of Hydrogen, one pound bottles, regular price 20c. Anniversary Sale Price **11c**

One Pound Boxes of Talcum Powder in violet, trailing arabus and coryopsis, regular price 15c. Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

Good-Sense Tooth Brushes, seconds of the Prophy-lac-tic, imperfections slight, regularly sold for 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Shell and Amber Hair Pins in straight and crimped, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF BELTS

Women's Silk Girdles or Suede Leather Belts in navy, copenhagen, green, cerise, brown, purple, light blue, pink and yellow, broken sizes, regular price 50c and \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **23c**

One Lot of Velvet, Suede, Elastic and Silk Girdles, values up to \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE IN OUR RUG and DRAPERY DEPT.

50c Nottingham Lace Curtains. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

49c Dutch Curtains, ready to hang. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

59c Velvet Door Mats, Anniversary Sale Price, Each **35c**

\$8 White Enamel Beds, brass trimmed. Anniversary Sale Price **\$4.95**

\$13.50 All Brass Beds, double top rails. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.95**

\$2.50 Soft Top Mattresses, good ticking. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

\$3.00 Guaranteed National Bed Springs. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.79**

\$6.00 Drop Side Couches with mattresses and bolsters. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

35c Floor Oilcloths, extra heavy quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **25c**

75c Genuine Cork Linoleums, beautiful patterns. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **49c**

25c Marquette, cream and Arabian. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **12 1/2c**

\$25.00 Axminster Rugs, 9x12, perfect, beautiful colorings. Anniversary Sale Price **\$18.50**

\$13.50 Tapestry Rugs, 9x12. Special values. Anniversary Sale Price **\$9.95**

\$15.00 Hawkes Best All Silk Floss Mattresses. Anniversary Sale Price **\$10.95**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF DRESS GOODS

54 Inch Black and White Check, value 69c. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **49c**

54 Inch Imperial Crepe Suiting, sold up to date 89c. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **75c**

56 Inch Wool Black and White Shepherd Check, regular \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **79c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Women's Drawers with hemstitched ruffle; regular price 15c pair. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **10c**

Drawers of good embroidery with ruffle of embroidery; regular price 25c pair. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **19c**

Corset Covers of good quality nainsook, with yoke front and back of embroidery or lace and ribbon drawn; regular price 39c. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SHEETS and PILLOW SLIPS

Corset Covers, handsomely trimmed with lace or embroidery; others made of all over embroidery; regular price 50c. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Women's Night Robes, chemise style, edged with narrow embroidery and ribbon run; regular price 39c. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Night Robes with yoke of tucks and two rows of insertion, V neck and long sleeves; regular and outsizes; regular price 69c. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Long White Skirts with cluster of tucks, ruffle of embroidery and underlay; regular price 75c. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Long White Skirts with 13 inch flounce of Swiss embroidery, with or without underlay; regular price \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **69c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

1 Lot of 27 Inch Dainty Swiss Embroidery, suitable for children's dresses; regular price 59c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **25c**

45 Inch Voile Flouncing, embroidered, 27 inches, in large floral designs; regular price \$1.00 yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **50c**

Fine Batiste Allover Embroidery, in small eyelet pattern; regular price \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **59c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF TOWELS

Fruit of the Loom Remnants, in 1 to 10 yard pieces. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

75 Dozen Pillow Slips, 42x36, never sold for less than 15c each. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **12 1/2c**

50 Dozen Pillow Slips, 42x36, all perfect goods; regular price 10c each. Anniversary Sale Price **3 FOR 25c**

60 Dozen Sheets, 72x90, regular value 49c. Anniversary Sale Price, 3 FOR **\$1.00**

29c Huck Towels, plain and hemstitched finish. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **17c**

Turkish Hand Towels, extra fine and heavy. Anniversary Sale Price **3 FOR 25c**

25c Turkish Towels, full size and weight. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **17c**

TOWELING

6 1-4c Bleached Twill Cotton Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

15c All Linen Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **12 1/2c**

Huck Remnants, 12 1-2c and 15c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **8c AND 10c**

6c Bleached Cotton Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **5c**

79c Scarfs and Squares, all linen centres, heavy torchon edge. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **50c**

An odd lot of Scarfs and Squares; regular 39c and 50c values. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF NOTIONS

Sewing Silk, 100 yards, all colors; regular price 8c. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

Hooks and Eyes, with Peets; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

John J. Clark's Spool Cotton; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

Basting Cotton, 500 yard spools; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

Pins, regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

White Tape, 10 yard pieces; regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Black and White Headed Pins; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

Collar Supporters; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

Pearl Buttons; regular price 8c. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

THE GERMAN REPLY

The opinion is growing in this country that the reply of the German government to the recent note of President Wilson will be conciliatory in tone. As yet no German official has given any intimation of the probable attitude of the German government, but there are many indications of a growing spirit of conciliation. At first, some of the more extreme German propagandists in this country hinted that there would be no compromise, but such is not the expectation of American public opinion.

While, at the present time, one guess is as good as another, it is most significant that with the determination of Dr. Dernburg to abandon his publicity agitations in this country comes a new attitude into that part of the press representing the more extreme German views. The last note of the German government promising a modification to the submarine war, as regards its effect on neutrals, promises a ground for agreement. There is no expectation that the American government will recede in the least from the position taken in the note, but while the absolute surrender of the German government may not be immediate, it will be advised by those who control the German policies, in all probability, rather than the return to any stand that would antagonize America still further.

It is scarcely to be expected that Germany will entirely withdraw its submarine campaign against merchant ships without an attempt at compromise, and on this point there are precedents, indicating the part to be taken by the principals. Germany will probably agree to confine its submarine attacks to war vessels, provided England modifies its blockade of German ports, permitting food to pass to the civilian population of Germany. This government may act in a friendly mediation to secure such a compromise between England and Germany, but the refusal of England to abandon a form of blockade fully justified by international law will not be taken to justify further German attacks on the persons and properties of neutrals. Pending the settlement of mooted points, the submarine activity may be withdrawn or materially reduced.

Until now, Germany has shown but little disposition to care for or cater to the opinion of the neutral world, but the effect of its further disregard must be apparent. It is one thing to ignore diplomatic representations that do not portend serious consequences, but the recent American note is of an entirely different character. Even more significant than the firmness of the note is the solidity of American loyalty to the administration, a fact that Germany cannot regard as other than a great factor in deciding on its future policy.

Until the sinking of the Lusitania, the American people, despite the opinions of individuals were neutral, and there was a disposition to look at both sides of the case, whenever there was a matter of contention between the belligerents. The Lusitania affair changed this attitude into one of national protest against Germany, and it must be apparent to those abroad and in this country who work for German success that a disregard of our firm and reasonable requests would kill Germany's chances of ever getting back into the favorable opinion of any but a slight American clique. Sanity, therefore must prevail, if Germany can hope to see this nation continue neutral, and a great deal will depend on the answer of the German government to the note of the American government.

A PITIFUL CONDITION

In our local police court and in all the police courts of this commonwealth, no sight is more common than that of the habitual drunken offender who is brought before the judge time after time, without a hope of regeneration. Sometimes it is a young man all of whose manliness is debased and whose will is paralyzed; again, it is one in middle age, possibly the father or mother of a large family, but it is saddest when the offender is an aged man or an aged woman who has none of the natural sanctity of age but whose unhappy life has been spent between the fall and the gutter. Almost every day reveals this condition and reveals the inadequacy of the present law to cope with it.

The average police court judge whose nature has not been hardened by his connection with the criminal side of humanity must be distressed at the sight of the habitual drunkard. The judge may have hopes of deterring the first, second or third offender, but what hope is there when the culprit has been up for sentence twenty, thirty or fifty times. All one can hope to do is to put them away from temptation for some reasonable time, realizing the while that the end of their sentence will see their return to their old habits and the prisoner's pen.

There is a timely need for some agency other than that of the police court for the regeneration of the habitual drunkard. If the men or women have gone so far that they cannot resist temptation, they should be regarded as incurable and kept somewhere in kindly keeping, away from the gratification of their passion for drink. Often prisoners in court ask for a prison sentence in order to get the craving out of their system, recognizing their powerlessness to fight a foe that has destroyed their power of resistance. Surely one in this condition cannot rightly be regarded as a criminal, and the law that would regard him as such is unjust.

The suggestion has been made from time to time that the state should erect an institution for the treatment of habitual inebriates, regarding their frailty as a disease rather than a crime. There is certainly need for such an institution, which would meet the demands of humanity without defeating the ends of justice.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION

It is very gratifying to find that there is but a negligible attempt at the present time to make political capital out of the business situation. Whether due to the uselessness of the attempt, or the realization of our good fortune at being fairly prosperous at a time of such universal misery, certain it is that the country is a unit in talking, thinking and boosting general optimism. Even the ultra-conservative, trade and financial journals vie with each other in the bright prospects which they draw for the immediate American future.

Not the most significant indication of prosperity was the recent crop re-

port of the United States government.

Our department of agriculture declared that the prospects are better than they have been for the past ten years. This, coupled with the fact that the world demand will probably be far in excess of the usual, presages a condition of general prosperity that will be felt in every strata of American life.

With this report come reports of larger railroad earnings, fewer idle freight cars, increased production in our large industries, heavy bank clearings and every other straw that indicates the way the wind is blowing. The industrial and financial world is so confident of the outlook that even such momentous things as the sinking of the Lusitania and the resultant agitation did not materially affect the markets.

Prospects of peace would tend to make conditions still better, but even the prolongation of war will not now imperil our business situation.

Speaking in Boston last week, Secretary Redfield took up the question of exports and imports since the framing of the new tariff to prove that the present law was a favorable factor in keeping down prices and preventing panic during the early days of the war. The war did not permit of a fair comparison with the statistics of other years, but the prosperity that continued here during the most trying days and the many complexities of a critical time answer the selfish charges of anybody who would strive to make political capital out of the existing situation.

A SUNDAY WALK

Away from the city they went on Sunday, two pedestrians who had become weary of the ominous headlines, the glaring headlines, the atmosphere of unrest, the "white way" agitations and all the many things that tire the brain and fill the heart with sadness. Away they went—not very far—but far enough to find the heights "where God is winding His lonely horn." The memories of the things they found and re-found will help them tide over another week of the city with its "building and spoiling and spoiling and building again."

What did they find? Paths that led through lush grass, sprinkled with thousands upon thousands of violets, apple trees in bloom, white and pink like brides, sunset tansies like living flames, pansies of a sober ground-hog that lived in his cool home on the approach of intruders, brooks that rippled over the stones in matchless harmonies, branches of wild cherry trees with fragrant blossoms, a turtle that made a big splash, cool woodland spaces, birds and plants that shamed them into an acknowledgment of their ignorance of nature, trace of mind and a most ferocious, primitive appearance. One bird merits special attention. Pedestrian number one went to a little hollow for three especially beautiful wood violets, when whirr-r-r-r! two feet away rose a stockaded pheasant with startling suddenness. There in

the hollow—place a secret—lay a nest with seventeen dusky eggs. Then back through the greenest green grass that ever grew, with a bunch of violets, surrounded with maiden-hair fern, several Japanese-looking branches, with foamy blossom clusters and memories of delights that are never found near Merrimack square.

ITALY

The Italian government is generally supposed to be striving for continued neutrality in the face of popular opposition—at least until the events of war are favorable for Italy's entry into the conflict. The war party, headed by Premier Salandra, has chafed under this continued procrastination of the king and his advisers and matters were brought to a head by the resignation of the Salandra cabinet. Had the resignation been accepted there would in all probability have been widespread popular disaffection and disturbance, but that has been averted by the refusal of the king to accept the resignation. Italy is now nearer war than at any time since last August and Austria and Germany seem to have abandoned all hope of protracting diplomatic negotiations further. It is, therefore, more than probable that Italy will be with the allies before many days—or, perhaps, hours. The temperamental Italian people have burned with the desire to wrest from Austria the provinces that Italy has long desired, and since peace will not give them the prize, they favor war. Italy will probably soon taste the excitement and the attendant miseries of the greatest struggle which the world has seen, but her entry into the war—unless it causes complications in the Balkan belt—will be a great stroke

for those opposed to the dual empire and Turkey. The war will serve to heal many domestic wounds in Italy and unite the Italian people in the struggle against an ancient enemy. It will hasten the end of the war as Austria will be obliged to withdraw her armies from the eastern front to prevent an Italian invasion.

A NEUTRAL CONGRESS

Entirely aside from the rights or wrongs of the present war, there is a movement in this country in favor of a great neutral conference of protest against the disregard of international law. Since the beginning of the struggle, human rights have been trampled on as never before, and the best interests of neutral nations—hitherto held sacred in all wars—have been trampled ruthlessly under foot. All neutral powers have protested, strongly or weakly as the case may be, but the answer to the protests was a reversion to larger crimes. As this nation is the greatest neutral nation, and, in fact, the only powerful neutral, many Americans favor the calling of a great international conference of neutrals to make common cause against warfare that infringes on neutral rights. Unfortunately there is little ground for hope that the revolutions or protests here formulated would be needed, but the moral influence, nevertheless, might have some part in operating for the cessation of a war that will leave its blight upon the winners as well as the losers. One of the greatest arguments against the abandonment of neutrality by this country is that such a course would nullify our ministrations as peacemaker, should the blessed occasion arise in the near future.

GERMAN NAVY CHIEF

REPORT THAT ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ HAD RESIGNED DENIED



ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ

BERLIN, May 18.—The story that Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, German navy chief and originator of the submarine warfare idea, has resigned because of the sinking of the Lusitania, is denied here. The story originally was given out in Copenhagen.

SHOT THROUGH THE HEART

LEBANON, N. H., May 18.—Samuel Speed committed suicide during the night by shooting himself through the heart with a shotgun. The body was discovered at 8 o'clock yesterday morning by his son-in-law, Hart Crandall, lying face down a short distance from the house in a path leading to a spring.

QUART OF WHISKY KILLS

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 18.—Dr. Maurice Watson, medical referee for Hillsboro county, was called to South Weare yesterday to investigate the death of Ruel Page. An autoist took Page into his car Sunday and after giving him a ride is said to have given him a quart of whisky. The man is said to have entered a barn and drunk the contents of the bottle and to have fallen into a stupor, from which he never rallied.

COLD WAVE COMING

BOSTON, May 18.—The weather bureau last night announced that following yesterday's rain and drizzle a miniature cold wave was shaping its course for Boston and New England and that by tomorrow night frosts may be expected in the unprotected and inland lowlands.

Two women sculptors, Miss Janet Scudder and Mary Evelyn B. Longman, of New York, are entered in the list of 312,000 a year bread-winners.



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FLAG DAY MEETING

Nearly every patriotic organization of the city was represented at the meeting of the flag day committee held last evening in the mayor's reception room at city hall. It was reported by a sub-committee that the school pupils were willing to assist in the work and help sell small flags. About 10,000 flags have been ordered and will reach here Thursday. The pupils and others will be stationed on all the downtown streets on Saturday, May 25, to sell the flags.

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RAIN HALTS SCHEDULE

Game at Fitchburg Cancelled—
Manager Barrows' Club a Big
Factor in Gate Receipts

"Well, boys, there's another game we lost today," said Manager Barrows yesterday morning when he learned that the Fitchburg management had called off the game. "We'd have beaten that team out as sure as you're alive."

The rest of the club seemed to share Barrows' optimistic feeling and more pep and ginger were shown around the baseball office than upon any previous occasion this season. It begins to look as though the local team had found itself at last and intended to get down to business and win ball games.

Down East Tomorrow

Tomorrow Lowell takes leave of us for a week. The local club will make its first trip of the season to Lewiston and Portland, and will be gone until Sunday. Wednesday and Thursday will be spent in arguments over a decision at Lewiston, while Friday and Saturday Hugo Duffy will send his flag chasers out against our boys.

If the club breaks even down in Maine we ought to be satisfied. Both the Lewiston and Portland grounds are built for the home clubs, the visiting aggregations not being wise to the vagaries of many a dip and dimple in the playing surface. So with the odds against 'em an even break will do.

Barrows a Big Factor

Manager Cuke Barrows is going to be a big factor in local baseball history this season. He has shown this to be true already.

During the past week a business man told me that he had not been to Spalding park in two years but that he was going to take a trip out there and take a look at Barrows. "They say he is a terrific hitter," he said. That afternoon Barrows lifted the ball to a remote corner of the park for a homer, winning the game for Lowell in the ninth, and previous to this drove out two long triplets and single. The Lowell Baseball club made a disciple right there, and Barrows' stick has undoubtedly brought many another new face to the park.

Lawrence Hitting

That Lawrence team has started to hit. Perhaps, as somebody said, it will be a start to pose. The down-river club went along with mighty few safeties for the first week or so yet it brought home the long end of the score sheet. In one contest Lawrence scored four runs without a hit.

But if Lawrence continues to hit and also keeps up its fielding and inside baseball maneuvers Joe Sullivan's boys will be hard to stop.



MANAGER BARROWS.

ding over in Worcester because his normal artists are going badly. Even reliable Van Dyke has broken in horribly. The clever southpaw seems to have lost his stuff this season.

If Becker's pitchers ever get to working in form Worcester will be right there with a rush. Jesse himself

is rapidly recovering his former famous poise and has trotted out his uniform. The Worcester leader had a severe attack of pneumonia a few months ago and was not feeling very husky when the season opened. But look out for Burkett from now on.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Hosfords piloted by Walter Murray met defeat Saturday at the hands of the Libbers by the score of 10 to 9 in a loose game. Someone suggested that Murray use his new auto when he attempted to steal third in the sixth inning for he was caught off third by over two yards. Murray is willing to stack his hired men against any of the so-called champions and he avers his aggregation will be heard from before the season is over.

The Ewars defeated the strong North Chelmsford Juniors Saturday, by the score of 14 to 2. This makes three straight games without defeat. Saturday, May 22, the Ewars will christen their new suits by playing the Burnside Juniors for two quarter balls on the Wood street grounds.

The lucky nine of East Chelmsford defeated the Young Buckhors by a score of 12 to 10 Saturday. We would like to arrange a game with the Chelmsford High.

The Indians defeated the Chestnuts Saturday by the score of 9 to 0. The Indians are better ball players.

The Burnside Juniors defeated the West Ends Saturday May 15, by the score of 11 to 5. The Burnside would like to arrange games with any 15-16 year old team in the city, the Burnside, Athletes or Ironquels preferred. Send all challenges to J. Mann, 225 Walker street, city.

The Richmonds beat Meehan's Pets or Swampscott, 25 to 2, Saturday on the South common. It was some game.

The Pawtucketville Blues defeated the Walker A. C. by the score 3 to 0. The lineup: Whaley, c; Lynch, p; Busance, 1b; St. Claire, ss; Casey, 2b; Cryan, 3b; Garrin, rf; Stramas, cf; Haloran, lf.

There will be a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock. Managers are requested to be present. There are two more teams needed.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England
All games postponed, rain.
Americans
At Cleveland: Boston-Cleveland, rain.
At Chicago: Chicago 6, Philadelphia 3.
At St. Louis: Washington 3, St. Louis 2.
At Detroit: New York-Detroit, cold.
Nationals
At Boston: Pittsburgh-Boston, rain.
At New York: Chicago-New York, rain.
At Brooklyn: Cincinnati-Brooklyn, rain.
At Philadelphia: Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 3.
Federal
At Chicago: Chicago 6, Baltimore 5 (10 innings).
At Kansas City: Brooklyn 7, Kansas City 5.
At Pittsburgh: Newark-Pittsburgh, wet grounds.

Giants' Hopes Take Boost With
Return of Mathewson to FormCHRISTY MATHEWSON
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NEW YORK, May 18.—Everybody knows "Big Six" and everybody who knows him is his admirer and a loyal rooter for him individually regardless of team sympathy. In view of this fact the announcement that the great and only Christopher has at last arrived at his best form—is fit, in other words—will be received with general acclamation. Matty got off to a bad start this season, so bad, in fact, that he lost his first four starts, and even his most ardent admirers admitted, reluctantly, "It's true, that their favorite had started on the down grade at last; that he was going the route of all good pitchers; that he was passing, in fact. But Matty did not share their gloomy views. He admitted he was bad, but said that with the arrival of

real baseball weather his arm would lumber up and he would be as good as he ever was. With the advent of baseball weather what Matty predicted came to pass. On his fifth start of the season he registered his first win of the season. That he will win many more is as sure as fate, and that he will again be the mainstay of the McGrawites is surer, if such could be possible.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League	Won	Lost	P.C.
Lawrence	10	2	.333
Manchester	7	5	.283
Portland	6	6	.231
Worcester	6	6	.231
Lowell	6	6	.231
Lynn	4	8	.222
Fitchburg	4	8	.222
Lewiston	1	8	.111

American League	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	15	11	.273
Detroit	15	11	.273
Boston	13	9	.291
Chicago	11	12	.250
Washington	12	12	.250
Cleveland	11	13	.247
Philadelphia	9	17	.217
St. Louis	10	13	.234

Federal League	Won	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburgh	15	11	.273
Newark	16	12	.271
Chicago	17	13	.271
Kansas City	15	13	.271
Brooklyn	15	13	.271
St. Louis	12	14	.250
Baltimore	15	13	.271
Buffalo	8	21	.125

National League	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	13	11	.273
Chicago	13	11	.273
Boston	13	11	.273
Pittsburgh	13	11	.273
Brooklyn	12	14	.250
Cincinnati	11	14	.250
New York	13	12	.271
St. Louis	12	13	.271

GAMES TOMORROW

New England
Lowell at Lewiston.
Lynn at Lawrence.
Worcester at Portland.
Fitchburg at Worcester.

Americans
Boston at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Washington at St. Louis.

Nationals
Pittsburgh at Boston.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
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LOWELL ON TOP

In Runs Scored, Team

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Here is some food for local fans to digest—and it is bitter food at that. Lowell is at present leading the league in runs scored, in the team batting averages, in number of hits made and also in total bases. And

	BATTING										FIELDING					
	g	ab	r	h	tb	20	3b	tr	ab	sh	sf	pc	po	a	e	pc
Lowell	11	355	68	122	169	15	5	4	16	13	0	317	300	159	23	345
Portland	11	352	37	95	142	8	2	4	26	13	0	242	273	127	23	348
Fitchburg	11	357	42	83	132	13	4	0	14	7	4	212	232	140	21	350
Lynn	11	356	54	81	107	8	3	2	20	14	3	230	258	146	23	349
Lewiston	11	378	50	83	112	13	3	4	0	13	3	210	205	153	37	325
Lawrence	11	363	59	79	113	9	4	3	8	11	0	218	309	163	26	348
Worcester	11	394	62	85	116	21	5	1	13	11	1	215	232	177	27	350
Manchester	11	358	41	63	99	0	7	0	7	18	1	123	237	145	25	346

CORNELL CREW

Oarsmen From Ithaca

Appear to Have the

Best College Boat

PRINCETON, N. J., May 18.—I followed the Princeton crew one afternoon with Guy Nickalls, in his automobile. Immediately afterward I went with Mr. Nickalls on the Princeton coaching launch and saw Yale do her final practice. Then John Hoyle took me aboard to see Cornell's crew.

Thus in a short hour and a half I saw more polished crew rowing than has ever come to my lot. Yet without all three are working on diametrically opposite lines. Nickalls is sticking to the orthodox English stroke and rigging, while Cornell and Princeton are more rounded out. As usual Courtney has hit the best of the best. They run one part of the stroke into the next with wheel-like continuity as the others don't, and thus I liked Cornell a bit the best. Courtney has shortened Cornell's stroke for this race. The swing past the perpendicular is perceptibly less. Princeton's is longer, but shorter than Yale's.

Yale will go away from the stern at the highest stroke—probably at 44; Princeton will strike 42 and Yale, from what I have seen, 40. Princeton and Yale will row too deliberately for the short mile and seven-eighths course, while Cornell will sprint out into the lead at the beginning and it will be hard work for the others to overhaul her. Yale has the hardest catch of the lot in the beginning, but both Cornell and Princeton have more kick and drive at the very end of the stroke, which of course means speed between strokes.

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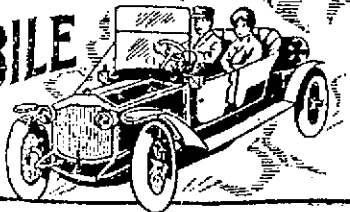
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AUTOMOBILE NEWS



AUTOMOBILE QUESTION BOX

EDITED BY GEORGE H. ROBERTSON

NOTE—In these columns every Tuesday Mr. George H. Robertson, an expert automobile authority, will give expert advice to motorists on how to repair and operate their automobiles. Automobile readers of THE SUN are invited to send in questions or problems they may wish to have answered. Such questions will receive attention in due time. Address all communications: Automobile Editor, Sun, Lowell, Mass. Communications must bear the signature and address of the sender, though not for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

What is the difference between high and low tension?

M. F.

A low tension magneto is one that furnishes a continuous current which is broken only by the use of a make and break arrangement at the head of the piston and operated by a cam on the crankshaft. The magneto consists of only the armature and coils, etc.

A high tension magneto is one which generates the current and distributes it through its own break box and distributor. The armature has two windings, one the primary, of stout wire, and the other, the secondary, of fine wire. This type of magneto has within itself a condenser, distributor, break box, a means of advance, etc.

What makes my car jerk when I give it gas and let it in second speed? Is a master vibrator any good and what is it for?

E. F. V.

The jerking is due no doubt to too rich a mixture. Would advise you to cut down a little on your jet. A master vibrator will improve the running of your motor.

I have just bought a second-hand machine which someone gives me. I don't know the brakes. Would you check them very much if you will inform me on the following: If the brakes fall to let where may the trouble be. If I must remove and adjust them, kindly let me know how I should proceed.

G. S.

Your brakes may need adjusting, or they may require new lining. It may be that the brake rod to the foot pedal needs shortening. If your brakes need adjusting you will have to take them up on the top and bottom adjustments, but be sure that the brake does not bind. Jack up the wheel while making these adjustments.

Would you please answer these three questions: How many miles can a Packard run on a gallon of gas? Will a Packard to increase the mileage of gas? Are steel studs very good in wet weather on an asphalt street?

D. R.

A Packard should travel about ten to twelve miles to the gallon. There are several standard makes of carburetor that claim big mileage. It is a matter of test as to the right one. The one that comes with the car is excellent if adjusted properly. You will find steel studs tires very efficient on wet pavements.

Can you tell me if the Rambler car is still made and is on the market? I never see it advertised in the papers.

H. W.

The Rambler car has been changed over into the Jeffrey car. The same manufacturer builds this new car. There is an agency where you can secure spare parts for the Rambler.

Is it poor practice while descending a hill to disengage the clutch and apply the brake? If so, can you name a better way for going down a long hill?

S. P. E.

The way you suggest is proper. There is another way which you might try on long hills. Throw out the ignition switch, leaving the clutch in and still being gear. The motor acts as a brake. The foot or hand brake should be used alternately in conjunction with the use of the motor as a brake.

Can I use a 6-volt, 120-ampere-hour storage battery to start a car without injuring the magneto? The magneto referred to is Bosh high tension, connected by a dual coil.

Can a battery such as the above be used for both starting and lighting and also give current to the horn?

When can I tell that the battery needs recharging, and when can I tell it has received its full charge after being recharged?

In my car the transmission and differential are in one housing. Is it only required to hold a certain amount of lubricant? The cover of the transmission holds a small brass cap in position and the lubricant manages to make its way out around this cap.

L. S. A. L.

You can use this battery in connection with the dual system for starting.

It is a 6-volt circuit.

This battery will operate the lights and horn and will also supply current for the battery side of the dual system. Would advise you to have two batteries of the same type, so that one may be always held in reserve fully charged. The horn or the lights will operate when the battery is run down.

Wouldn't all the case about half full of heavy gear oil.

Will you kindly let me know if it hurts a car to take a hill at high speed? Will you kindly let me know if it is good practice to put kerosene or denatured alcohol in the pet cocks once a week and let it stay there till you use the car again? What benefit does an engine derive from a cut-off? How often does the carbon have to be cleaned out of a car?

A. L. O.

In climbing a hill on high gear, unless the motor can safely pull it without labor, it would be well to shift to a lower gear. A heavy pull of this sort imposes a heavy strain on all your motor parts. In order to prevent the engine knocking under these conditions you retard the ignition, which tends to overheat the motor. Putting kerosene or denatured alcohol in the cylinders is good, but don't do it too often. This tends to remove the lubrication in the pores of the cylinder and piston. You cannot figure percentage in this case, as every car is different. Regarding the carbon, this depends entirely upon the kind of oil used and the condition of the mixture. A choked muffler will tend to carbonize a motor quickly.

Why does the crank shaft kick back with advanced spark on magneto same as on battery? Are there any other reasons for kick back besides advanced spark? Do both rear wheels revolve when motor is running on a jack? I saw one this way with only one rear wheel revolving.

J. H.

You probably have your battery ignition set in advance of your magneto ignition. A motor will "kick back" if it is overadvanced. This is due to pre-ignition. Because of the action of the differential one wheel may remain at rest while the other revolves. If both wheels were free and did not bind a little they would both revolve.

In cleaning my automobile I disconnected the storage and dry cell wires and cannot get them back so as to start the motor. How can I determine the direction of the flow of current from each of them?

G. B.

The storage batteries are marked with a positive and negative sign. The negative side of the battery is usually used as the ground return. The dry batteries have a carbon or centre pole, which is positive, and the outside pole, which is zinc, negative.

I am having great trouble with my clutch. Every time I throw it out and hold it for a short time it will start to grind. The only relief I get is when I put some grease in the clutch collar and a little oil on the collar. She will run all right then for three or four times, when she grinds completely again. I have worn out two clutch collars in a short time.

F. W.

In replacing the new clutch collar you should first grind off the cut-out face of the shaft upon which the collar bears. Unless this is done, a new collar will be useless after a short while. Plenty of grease in a large grease cup is essential.

Kindly let me know how to determine which cylinders in a motor car are in good condition.

J. R.

In order that a cylinder be in good condition the compression should be normal. If the cylinder is worn the piston rings are bad or lined up, the valves need grinding or are not timed properly, or if a leak develops in one of the gaskets the compression of the cylinder will not be up to the required pressure. Try the compression of each cylinder by either a compression gauge or feeling the pull on the starting crank, and you can readily distinguish the bad one.

Is any special solution used in cleaning the tires both inside and out? As I am about to take my car out for the summer I would like to know

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There has been so much talk recently about burning carbon out of the cylinders that the good, old-fashioned remedy—an application of kerosene—is about forgotten.

It is without doubt a wonderful advance to be able to run your car into a garage, have the cylinders opened up from the top and the carbon removed by means of an oxygen flame. This, however, costs some money, although not much, less the car up from one to three hours and causes a certain amount of wear and tear on the threads of the various parts removed, to get into the cylinders.

But by squirting a quantity of kerosene into each cylinder occasionally, much of the necessity of having carbon removed would be avoided and the cylinders and rings would be kept in better condition.

To you who are reading this—why don't you try kerosene in your motor, and see certain days when you will apply it. It is better to apply it two or three nights in succession, than it is to apply it four or five times at considerable intervals. Start in tonight and when you put the car away, put three or four tablespoonfuls of kerosene into each cylinder of your engine. In the morning it will smoke badly for a few minutes but never mind that. Do the same thing tomorrow night, and again the following night. You will be surprised at the difference in the way your engine will operate.

U. S. AVIATION SCHOOL

On July 1 a Cadillac Eight, of the seven-passenger style, will go into the service of the signal corps of the United States Aviation School at San Diego, Cal. Capt. A. S. Cowan, the commanding officer, in placing the order for the car, said it would be used as the official car of the school.

AUTOISTS' TEN COMMANDMENTS

Don't run fast into or across main highways.
Don't take blind curves too fast.
Don't run on the wrong side of the road.
Don't pass street cars when passengers are entering or leaving.
Don't fail to sound your horn before passing other vehicles.
Don't forget that a car or a person may be just around the turn.
Don't forget that the other fellow may be dull, reckless or drunk.
Don't fail to look out for pedestrians.
Don't forget that children dash suddenly and unexpectedly.
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The prospect for a prosperous season has encouraged the dealers in the various types of automobiles and the demand is steadily increasing. The horse is fast disappearing from the streets and cars are becoming more numerous every day.

Everett Bernard, who formerly drove for the Hovey Auto Livery, now discontinued, is in charge of the service car of Pitts' Auto Supply.

A great transcontinental relay on motorcycles will take place in July under the sanction of the United States war department. The run, consisting of 35 relay teams, will start from New York city bearing a message from President Wilson and will be delivered in San Francisco.

There will be a big time in Concord, N. H., on the 7th and 8th of June. Automobile and motorcycle races will be run there. The day set apart for the motorcycle races is the 8th. It is expected that a large number of Lowell motorists and cyclists will be present at these races.

The welding department of the Sawyer Carriage company, Worthen street,

has met with great success. The department was commenced but a few weeks ago and from the very first it has been very busy welding crankshafts and various other parts on machines which when broken can be welded.

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JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, JR.

MAGNATE TO RESUME TESTIMONY BEFORE INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Chief interest in the hearings before the federal industrial relations committee centered in the reappearance today of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., for examination in connection with the Colorado coal strike. Correspondence submitted to the commission since Mr. Rockefeller's former appearance formed the basis for the inquiry. The witnesses had prepared a detailed statement in connection with the Colorado labor trouble which he was to read when he resumed his testimony late today.

LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

on Thursday. It is expected in Rome that parliament will be asked to confer plenary powers on the cabinet.

Plot to Kill Sultan

A plot to assassinate the sultan of Turkey, Field Marshal Von Der Goltz, Field Marshal Von Sanders and Enver Pasha, is said to have been discovered in Constantinople. Turks and Armenians are credited with the authorship of the plot and 400 Armenians have been arrested.

Fighting North of Arras

Reports from the western front disclose no important changes subsequent to the victory over a two mile front near La Bassée announced yesterday by the British commander.

German Counter Attacks Fail

Violent counter attacks undertaken by the Germans are said by the French war office to have failed and a small gain for the allies near Abail is reported. The French communication also says the Germans left 2000 dead on the ground near the Yser canal over which they attacked the allied lines.

Transylvania Passengers Talk

Passengers on the steamship Transylvania, which reached Glasgow from New York yesterday, state that they saw a submarine within a few hundred yards of the vessel when off the Irish coast on Saturday. Statements of some passengers that a torpedo was discharged at the steamer was contradicted by others.

CABINET CRISIS IN GREAT BRITAIN

—EMPEROR NICHOLAS OFF FOR FRONT

LONDON, May 18.—What seems like a cabinet crisis suddenly has been sprung on Great Britain. There has arisen what appears to be a rupture between the civil head of the admiralty, Winston Spencer Churchill, and the lords of the admiralty, but particularly Lord Fisher, admiral of the fleet. As a result the possibility of material changes in the cabinet is being discussed. For the moment the situation holds the political field. All kinds of rumors are current, but the ministers are not letting the facts out of the government offices.

DANVERS, MASS., WOMAN RECEIVES BLESSING

Mrs. W. H. Brown Tells How She Was Relieved After Long Suffering

Mrs. W. H. Brown of Danvers, Mass., was a victim of stomach trouble which tortured her for years. She tried many treatments and medicines and got little relief.

Then she took May's Wonderful Remedy and got results right away. In telling of her case she wrote:

"For years I have suffered terribly with stomach trouble. I could find no relief. Then, like a blessing from above, I heard of your remedy; sent for it, and after a few treatments am being cured. I am going to tell all my friends of your miraculous remedy."

May's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your drugstore now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

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allies around La Bassée in the opinion of British observers balanced by the Russian reverse in the eastern arena of the war, a reverse which the latest official communication from Petrograd fully confirms, but which it is argued in London may show a different aspect when the Russian counterstroke in eastern Galicia and Bukovina is fought out.

In Southern Poland the Russians confess to having been forced to retreat to a new line between the Pivka river and the upper Vistula. Consequently the whole plan of campaign may have been profoundly altered by the irresistible advance of the German armies.

The Russians have been compelled to abandon their movement in the westerly passes of the Carpathians, but they appear still to hold Ussuk pass, the main gateway to that territory.

Emperor Nicholas of Russia today again left Petrograd for the front, although which front has not been divulged.

Question time in the house of commons passed without the anticipated statement from Premier Asquith any reference to the reported ministerial crisis.

The rumored resignations of Mr. Churchill and Lord Fisher both remain unconfirmed.

It was intimated in authoritative circles late today that any differences which may have existed between Mr. Churchill and Lord Fisher had been satisfactorily composed.

RUSSIANS CLAIM GREAT VICTORY OVER AUSTRILIANS IN BUKOVINA

LONDON, May 18.—The Austrian defeat in Bukovina was of such proportions as to more than offset the victory gained by the Teutonic allies in West Galicia, according to a Russian official statement contained in a despatch from Petrograd to Reuters.

The Austrians are reported to have abandoned 20,000 prisoners in their flight and important positions organized on a front of 145 versts. The Russians claim to have occupied Czernowit and that the remnants of the Austrian army retreating in the direction of the Pruth are in danger of disaster.

The despatch says: "The Russian official statement describes the Austrian debacle in Bukovina as of such vast importance as to render nugatory their ephemeral successes in West Galicia. The latest particulars represent that the entire region between the Dniester and the Pruth is in Russian hands as the result of the brilliant victory while the Austrians utterly defeated are in disorderly flight. They have abandoned 20,000 prisoners and important, powerful organized positions on a front of 140 versts for the defense of which they made tremendous sacrifices in money and lives."

In Danger of Disaster

"Everything tends to prove that as a consequence of this victory Czernowit already is in the possession of the Russians while the remnants of the Austrian army, flying in the direction of the Pruth are in danger of disaster which seems inevitable because of the fierce action of our cavalry, which fell on the retreating enemy in full divisions, destroying him and incessantly augmenting the number of our trophies. This furious pursuit, so advantageous for us, continues."

"At the present moment the cluster of roads in Bukovina occupies our attention especially in the region of Kolomey. Here the enemy has been informed and has assembled every resource he possessed for defense. Kolomey being the only railroad center connecting Bukovina with Transylvania and other Austria-Hungarian regions. The enemy's failure in this district which is imminent will cut short his further resistance in Bukovina."

TOOK BUS AT GUN POINT

BROCKTON, May 18.—A local jitney bus was made to serve the ends of two prospective thieves here last night, according to the story of William Turner of 155 Winthrop street, owner of the conveyance.

Turner says at 9:15 the men chartered him to take them to the Brockton Country club on Copeland street, a lonely district.

On arriving at the waiting station of the club, a dark car took the owner's car, the passengers jumped out and one held the muzzle of a revolver against his breast, exclaiming: "We need this car. We've got a little job to do."

NETHERLANDS' PRELATE IN ROME

ROME, May 18.—The declaration has been made here that Mr. Wilhelm Nolens, the Netherlands prelate now in this city, was sent with the purpose of reestablishing a Dutch legation to the Vatican. A mission which was suppressed when diplomatic relations between Holland and the Vatican were interrupted as a result of the failure of the Netherlands minister of foreign affairs to invite Pope Leo to the first peace conference at The Hague.

MURDER OF WIFE

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 18.—William F. Fair, prominent in the rural life of Glenbrook, occupies a cell in the county jail here, charged with the murder of his wife. He was arrested by state policemen after an investigation that was begun last August.

FRANKLIN TAX RATE FIXED

FRANKLIN, N. H., May 18.—At a special meeting of the city council last night, the tax rate was fixed at \$18.50 on \$1000. Appropriations amounting to \$10,558. The city's valuation is \$571,358, is about \$990 more than last year.

SERGEANT MAHONEY DEAD

The many friends of Sergt. Denis Mahoney, C. S. A., retired, will be relieved to learn of his death which occurred this morning at his home, 15 New street after a brief illness, aged 71 years.

Sergt. Mahoney was born in Ireland, County Limerick and came to this country when a boy. On April 1, 1892, he enlisted in the United States Army, going to an infantry company. In 1898, while serving in the rebellion at Manila he was promoted to first sergeant. He retired from active service on November 18, 1908, and since that time has made his home in Lowell.

Deceased is survived by a wife, Mrs. Anna Collins Mahoney, two sisters, Mrs. Maurice O'Brien of Bedford, N. H. and Mrs. Daniel Twomey of this city, as well as several nephews and nieces.

BAN ON BASEBALL "POOLS"

PITTSBURGH, May 18.—Supt. of Police Matthews announced last night that he had been placed on baseball "pools" in Pittsburgh.

"We started last week to suppress these pools and we expect to have all the dealers in the city before the end of the baseball season," said the superintendent.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	56 1/2	56 1/4	56 1/2
Am Beet Sugar	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/2
Am Can	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/2
Am Car & Pn	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/2
Am Cit Oil	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/2
Am Hld & L pf	28 1/2	28 1/4	28 1/2
Am Locom	62 1/2	62 1/4	62 1/2
Am Smelt & Co	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Am Sugar Rfn	105 1/2	105 1/4	105 1/2
Am Tobacco	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/2
Atchafalpa	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/2
Atch & Pn	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/2
Balt & Ohio	72 1/2	72 1/4	72 1/2
Can Pac	82 1/2	82 1/4	82 1/2
Cast I Pipe	158 1/2	158 1/4	158 1/2
Cent Leather	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
Chester & Ohio	13 1/2	13 1/4	13 1/2
Col Fuel	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
Consol Gas	124 1/2	124 1/4	124 1/2
Cons & R G pf	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Gen Secur Co	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2
Genl	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Genl 2d pf	40 1/2	40 1/4	40 1/2
Genl 3d pf	30 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/2
Genl 4th pf	20 1/2	20 1/4	20 1/2
Genl 5th pf	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Genl 6th pf	5 1/2	5 1/4	5 1/2
Genl 7th pf	2 1/2	2 1/4	2 1/2
Genl 8th pf	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/2
Genl 9th pf	1/2	1/4	1/2
Genl 10th pf	1/2	1/4	1/2
Genl 11th pf	1/2	1/4	1/2
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Genl 99th pf	1/2	1/4	1/2
Genl 100th pf	1/2	1/4	1/2

HEAVINESS THE FEATURE

OF EARLY STOCK MARKET—STAGNATION DURING MID-SESSION—CLOSE HEAVY

NEW YORK, May 18.—Heaviness was the dominant feature of today's early stock market, all branches of the list registering declines from yesterday's close. As the session progressed trading became even lighter with a complete absence of business up to 1 o'clock aggregated less than 100,000 shares, the busiest hour in many weeks. As the session progressed trading became even lighter with a complete absence of business up to 1 o'clock aggregated less than 100,000 shares, the busiest hour in many weeks. As the session progressed trading became even lighter with a complete absence of business up to 1 o'clock aggregated less than 100,000 shares, the busiest hour in many weeks.

Prices made slight recovery from the opening level but went lower later, business up to 1 o'clock aggregated less than 100,000 shares, the busiest hour in many weeks. As the session progressed trading became even lighter with a complete absence of business up to 1 o'clock aggregated less than 100,000 shares, the busiest hour in many weeks. As the session progressed trading became even lighter with a complete absence of business up to 1 o'clock aggregated less than 100,000 shares, the busiest hour in many weeks.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Cotton futures opened steady, July, 4.41; October, 4.31; December, 4.21; January, 4.10. The close was steady, May, 4.16; July, 4.26; October, 4.14; December, 4.04; January, 3.94. Sales, 700 bales.

BOSTON, May 18.—Much of yesterday's improvement in local mining stocks was lost during the first hour today. The decline did not begin until after the first hour, while trading ruled narrow and in odd lots. Copper fell to 50 and Zinc stocks were also weak.

MADDOO AND WILLIAMS

LAWYER HOGAN ATTACKS OFFICERS FOR ALLEGED CONSPIRACY TO WRECK BANK

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Opening arguments against the dismissal of the temporary injunction secured by the Riggs National bank against Secretary McAdoo, Comptroller Williams and Treasurer Burke were concluded today by Frank J. Hogan of counsel for the bank, which charges the first two officers conspired to wreck it. Louis D. Brandeis and Samuel Untermyer, representing the officials, will argue in support of the motion to dismiss and former Senator Bailey will then conclude the argument for the bank opposing the motion.

During Mr. Hogan's argument, Justice McCor stated that he did not see in the case as presented any evidence of a conspiracy by McAdoo and Williams against the bank.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Andrew Mack will be welcomed back to Lowell for the first half of the present week, even if only in motion pictures. "The Ragged Earl," which plays, is being shown today and tomorrow at the B. F. Keith theatre, with the favorite actor in the title character, and yesterday it made a very strong impression.

Little need to reiterate the fact that Mack was always a well-liked stage figure in this city, and that all of his plays drew large audiences. The picture version of "The Ragged Earl," should make just as strong an appeal as did his plays, for, in addition to the story of the marriage of the penniless Earl to a rich heiress, contained in the stage version, there are many other scenes which it was wholly impossible to put within a three-act stage play.

It is all delightfully Irish, and very prettily romantic. The costumeing is wonderfully attractive, and the character acting is splendidly acted. Of course there is no doubt about the ability of Mack to portray the earl, for he always did it with an abandon and a show of humor that pleased exceedingly.

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BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Dos & Maine	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/2
N Y & N H	62 1/2	62 1/4	62 1/2

RAILROADS

Cal & Ariz	63 1/2	63	63
Cal & Hee	670	560	560
Centennial	19	18	18
Chino	42 1/2	42	42 1/2
Copper Range	50 1/2	50	50 1/2
D. Butte	11 1/2	11	11 1/2

A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

The second session of the grand court of Foresters for the state of Massachusetts was held in this city quarter of a century ago, the business proceedings taking place in Post 42 hall. The grand court at that time was but two years old, having been established through the efforts of the late John A. Smith of this city, after the formation of the disinterested American Order of Foresters at that time. Lowell, composed of 2200 members of the order, and today can muster up about 2500, not including the members of the French court who succeeded some years ago. In the meantime the local courts have shown a membership as high as 4000. The strength of the order in this city has never lessened in quarter of a century and new members are being constantly added to the membership rolls.

The grand court session referred to was called to order by Mr. Smith and High Sub-Chief Ranger Daniel Cronin of Boston was called upon to preside. An address of welcome was made by Mayor Palmer, who was escorted into the presence of the delegates by Mr. Smith and William H. Stafford. The latter introduced the mayor. At the session there were between 75 and 100 delegates and those from Lowell were Messrs. W. H. Stafford, W. E. Broderick, Denis O'Brien, Joseph H. Gallagher, J. J. Gallagher, C. L. Marren, J. J. Quinn, Hugh Walker, of Court Merrimack; W. J. Johnson, John H. Sheehan, Thomas F. Butler, James H. Hickey, William H. Harrigan, James Dunn, of Court Middlesex; Edward F. Slattery, L. J. Smith, John Mealey, of Court City of Lowell; M. P. Connelly, Arthur McQuade, of Court General Shields, and Pierre Brasseur, of Court Samuel de Champlain.

The old Sun had the following from the business proceedings:

"The quarterly report of the first grand court was read, showing that nine new courts had been instituted during the quarter. During the past winter the funeral fund had been heavily drawn upon. Endeavors had been made to maintain the credit of this fund by paying all claims within 30 days after proofs had been filed. As the regular tax of 60 cents per capita is not sufficient, it is advised to change the tax from 15 cents per capita quarterly to 25 cents. The number at present connected with the funeral fund is 3506. The amount paid on 23 death claims presented was \$1725. The report of the committee on credentials showed that 83 courts were represented by 101 delegates. Maine sent four delegates. The report of the grand secretary and treasurer shows the total membership to be 7836, a gain of 1819 since the institution of the grand court. The receipts were \$2724.23; expenses, \$3062.12; total assets, \$1129.73. There are 528 members in Maine. Pending committee reports addresses were made by Dr. John W. Connelley of Fall River, Robert F. Somers of Portland, Me., and E. P. Sullivan of Chicago.

"In the evening," continues the old Sun, "a ball complimentary to the delegates was held in Huntington hall. Nearly all the delegates were present and they were accompanied by their ladies. There were also present, His Honor, Mayor Palmer and delegates to the grand court, namely, John A. Smith, H. C. R. D. A. Cronin, D. H. S. R. T. Daly, H. T. George, B. Vincenz, H. S. William C. Farquharson, H. S. W. M. F. Sullivan, H. J. W. L. Guire, H. S. B. Denis O'Brien, H. J. B. There

was also present Deputies Lynch, Deblin, and Chaffoye, of Lawrence; T. Shaughnessy, George Grane, and F. Hoole of Marlboro; Deputies John J. Quinn and William H. Harrigan of Lowell and representatives of the local courts. The grand march was led by Junior Director John J. Donohue and Mrs. Donohue, followed by Mr. H. Stafford and Mrs. Stafford; H. C. McOsker and wife, John J. Watson and wife and many others. Supper was served at Page's in Merrimack street. The officers were as follows: General Manager William H. Stafford, C. E. assistant general manager, Hugh H. McOsker, floor director, John J. Donohue, assistant floor director, John J. Watson, aids, Edward F. Slattery, C. R. W. E. Broderick, S. C. R., James O'Brien, P. C. R., Stephen T. Wyman, S. C. T., John H. Farley, James W. Berry, John DeLoe, Joseph J. Gallagher, reception committee, Patrick A. Rogers, John J. Mealey, John R. Pike, M. P. Connelly, John T. Donohue, Joseph H. Gulliel, William P. Hession, Rodney Monahan, William H. Harrigan, secretary.

During the second day's business, according to the old Sun, the following scale of entrance fees was adopted: for 18 to 25 years of age, \$3; from 25 to 30, \$5; from 30 to 35, \$7; from 35 to 40, \$10; from 40 to 45, \$12; from 45 to 50, \$15. The salary of the high court secretary has been raised from \$200 to \$500 per year. The quarterly report of the grand court was read, showing that nine new courts had been instituted during the quarter. During the past winter the funeral fund had been heavily drawn upon. Endeavors had been made to maintain the credit of this fund by paying all claims within 30 days after proofs had been filed. As the regular tax of 60 cents per capita is not sufficient, it is advised to change the tax from 15 cents per capita quarterly to 25 cents. The number at present connected with the funeral fund is 3506. The amount paid on 23 death claims presented was \$1725. The report of the committee on credentials showed that 83 courts were represented by 101 delegates. Maine sent four delegates. The report of the grand secretary and treasurer shows the total membership to be 7836, a gain of 1819 since the institution of the grand court. The receipts were \$2724.23; expenses, \$3062.12; total assets, \$1129.73. There are 528 members in Maine. Pending committee reports addresses were made by Dr. John W. Connelley of Fall River, Robert F. Somers of Portland, Me., and E. P. Sullivan of Chicago.

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was it would be well worth preserving.

Lowell Commercial Club

By way of comparison with the hours of employment of the local store clerks today, the following from the Sun of quarter of a century ago is interesting:

"A large and important meeting of the Lowell Commercial club was held Tuesday evening. The question of closing Memorial day was discussed by the members. The subject of assisting for shorter hours of labor each day was discussed at length. It was stated that many of the proprietors of the larger stores would be glad to close another evening each week if the custom was generally adopted. It would be no loss to the dealers and no inconvenience to the customers. None of the stores are busy all the time; and women who have plenty of time during the day do their shopping at night. Besides, some of the representatives of the eight hour movement often wait until nine o'clock to do their shopping forgetting that it is the public demand that keeps the stores open so late evenings. The clerks believe they have just cause to complain of the excessive length of the working hours and nobody says they have not."

In those days the stores kept open evenings and most of their business was done after nightfall. It proved to be a matter of habit, however, and in time the purchasing public was educated to do most of its shopping in the daytime with the result that the stores now keep open only on Monday and Saturday evenings, and the eve of a holiday. The future may see some discontinuing the Monday night openings. In the old days if it were possible to call on a holiday for half a day while now they remain closed all day. The Thursday afternoon closing during the summer months is a comparatively new feature that wasn't dreamed of quarter of a century ago. The old Lowell Commercial club was organized 25 years ago and was composed exclusively of store clerks who started the subsequently successful movement for better conditions for local store employees.

Drug Store Liquor Business

A few weeks ago I referred in this column to the granting of druggists' liquor licenses by the aldermen 25 years ago, when Lowell was a "dry town" and the opposition made by Hon. John E. Drury, then a member of the board of aldermen. Twenty-five years ago tomorrow at a meeting of the board of aldermen some interesting information was forthcoming relative to the sale of liquor in drug stores during those "dry" days. The old Sun's report of that portion of the meeting at which the matter came up was as follows:

"The majority of the committee on licenses reported unfavorably on petitions for druggists' licenses: Ellingwood & Co., 190 Central street (second store), J. Howard & Co., High and Chestnut streets; E. C. Carter, West and Pine streets; L. Vaughan, 257 Middlesex street; C. A. Daly, 73 Suffolk street; B. O. Banks, 53 East Merrimack; O'Brien Bros., Middle and Palmer; A. Barriehaut, River and Alcott; Martin Lapointe, 153 Middlesex; C. W. Swan, Pawtucket square; A. E. Moors, 23 Gorham street.

"Alderman Fletcher of the license committee said that a majority of the committee who signed the report were guided in their action by the belief that there are already places enough licensed in the city to furnish all the liquor needed. To prove that the public is supplied with all the liquor it needs he wished to submit some figures taken from the books of some licensed druggists showing the sales made by them from May 1 to 19, the figures having been copied from the sales books by the druggists named. He said that the figures which follow show the number of sales for the weeks ending on the three dates respectively: Shannahan and Hickey, first week, 14; second week, 22; third week, 225. A. W. Dows, 22, 68, 30; C. Stevens, 38, 464, 3059; F. McNabb, 127, 514, 608. Dennis O'Brien, 17, 167, 477. H. S. Wallace, 13, 192, 884. C. J. Bellisle, 259, 550, 881. Ellingwood & Co., 143, 253. F. E. Goodale, 61, 141, 325.

"After some discussion, in which Alderman Fletcher and Drury opposed granting any additional licenses, on a vote, all of those above-mentioned were granted, except that of C. W. Swan. Alderman Carter, Drury and Fletcher judging from the number of 'packages' sold and signed for, even though there were few sales for which the customers neglected to sign, the druggists did a land office liquor business in those days, and more than they would do today, under similar conditions for 25 years ago the 'mail order' business had not been developed to the extent of covering all the non-licensed districts, and the local druggists had the call. In these enlightened days a drug store is about the last place that one would go for his pint or half pint. At least, that's what I'm told.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Under authority of Section 10, Chapter 330 of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1908, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 451, of the Acts of 1912, notice is hereby given that Book No. 44331 on the Central Savings Bank is lost; payment has been stopped and application has been made for payment of the amount. M-11-15

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex County, Probate Court. To Francis X. Tobin, of Barre, in the County of Worcester and Commonwealth aforesaid.

You are appointed administrator of the estate of Michael J. Tobin, late of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate.

And you are required to make and exhibit to said Probate Court, within three months from the date hereof, a true inventory of all the real and personal estate of said deceased which at the time of the making of such inventory shall have come to your possession or knowledge;

To administer according to law all the personal estate of said deceased which comes to your possession or knowledge, or that of any person for you, and also the proceeds of any of the real estate of said deceased that may be sold or mortgaged by you;

To render, upon oath, a true account of your administration, at least once a year, until your trust is fulfilled, unless excused therefrom, in any year, by said Court;

To pay any balance remaining in your hands upon the settlement of your accounts, to such persons as said Court shall direct;

To deliver these letters of administration into said Court, in case any will of said deceased shall be hereafter duly approved and allowed;

And also, within three months, to cause notice of your appointment to be posted in two or more public places in the city or town in which said deceased died, or in which he resided, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, and returned to said Court, of having given such notice, with a copy thereof, to the Probate Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first Judge of said Court, at Cambridge, this twenty-fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Registrar.

M-11-15

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, State House, Boston, May 17, 1915. The Committee on Public Health will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 2160, as to construction of the city of Lowell, at the city hall, room No. 210 State House, on Thursday, May 20, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. Ezra W. Clark, Chairman. James T. O'Dowd, Clerk of Committee.

building for high school purposes such as will properly provide for the educational needs that the present and near future of our city demand.

That resolution of quarter of century ago might be properly submitted by the board of trade to the municipal council today without the necessity of changing a single word in its construction. It fits the case today, perfectly.

Speaking in favor of his resolution at that time, 25 years ago, Mr. Adams said that the high school building at that time, using it to the fullest capacity, could accommodate but 450 pupils. The year previous the attendance reached 450, leaving 40 or 50 unprovided for, and next year the attendance is likely to reach 500 or 600. The city of Lowell, he said, spends money rapidly for the education of its children, and it is not surprising that the city should be so far ahead of the country in this respect.

William was only two years on the job at that time, having acceded to the throne in 1888, and thus it would seem he made an early start at the war business, and he has had his people preparing ever since.

THE OLD TIMER.

Accuse Peter Gardulis

Haverhill Police Say He Sold Unlawful Medicine—Outcome of Death Investigation

HAVERHILL, May 18.—Peter Gardulis was arrested yesterday by Patrolman Kelleher and is now held in default of \$3000 bail for a hearing in the district court. He is charged with selling an unlawful medicine.

Gardulis' arrest followed an investigation by the police and the county authorities on the death of Mrs. John Bladgukonis two weeks ago.

WILL SOON RESIGN

Dr. Thomas F. Harrington Chosen Deputy Labor Commissioner by the State Board

Dr. Thomas F. Harrington is soon to resign as director of hygiene in the schools of Boston, to accept the position of deputy commissioner of labor and industries, his new duties being the enforcement of health laws among the industrial workers of this state. A Boston paper confounds him with the Dr. Harrington formerly connected with the state board of health.

EXPLOSION DAMAGES BOAT

PORTLAND, Me., May 18.—There was an explosion of gasoline yesterday afternoon on the 55-foot fishing boat Irvan, Capt. R. Paulsen, and the damage was estimated at about \$500.

The roof of the cabin was lifted and the three men on board saved themselves by climbing from the rails to Long Wharf. The fire was gotten under control by the fire boat, Engine 1.

TO LET

IN SOUTH LOWELL, TENEMENT to let of five and six rooms and bath, room, hot and cold water, gas and a garden; five minutes' walk to the new Cambridge shop. Inquire H. Christman, 184 Woburn st.

TO RENT TO ADULTS, ON WESTFORD ST., an upstairs seven-room apartment with bath, newly finished throughout. 352 Westford st.

TO LET ON GORHAM ST. WITHIN one minute's walk of Blechnery station, 6-room modern flat, rent \$14.00 monthly. Inquire 307 Gorham st.

FOUR ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, 34 Agawam st.; key \$4 So. Whipple st.; five room tenement, 605 Gorham st. Inquire on premises.

HALF OF DOUBLE HOUSE TO LET at 16 Ash st.; 2 rooms and bath; furnace heat; modern improvements. Inquire at 15 Ash st.

SIX-ROOM FLAT TO LET, ALL modern improvements; located 119 Grand st. Apply at premises, or phone 1806, Lawrence, Mass.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, \$1.00 up. Apply at 234 Central st.

BRIGHT, PLEASANT TWO ROOM tenements to let, first or second floor; good clean respectable location and neighbors. Geo. E. Brown, 73 Chestnut st.

ONE OR TWO LARGE FRONT rooms, to let, with steam heat, also bath, etc. Privileges in private family. Tel. 2215 or call at 136 Smith st.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOM TO LET; heat and bath and use of telephone. \$2.50. 258 Western st., cor. Broadway. Telephone 4171-W.

FIVE-ROOM FLAT, PANTRY, BATH, furnace heat to let. Inquire 5 Kimball ave. Tel. 4604-W.

SMALL STORE TO LET ON GORHAM ST., near railroad bridge; rent low. Inquire 337 Gorham st.

\$16, \$19, NEW SIX-ROOM FLATS, without or with steam heat; all modern improvements; quiet location; one minute from two car lines; 15-25 Orford st., Pawtucketville. Keys at 17 Orford st. Tel. 4533-W.

FIVE ROOM FLAT TO LET, WITH bath, hot water, set tubs, etc. Up or downstairs. \$5. Tel. 2271-R.

5-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, NEWLY painted and papered at 40 Barclay st.; rent \$8. Also 5-room tenement, pantry and bath, \$12 monthly. Apply 325 Furniture Co., 218-220 Middlesex st.

TWO STEAM HEATED ROOMS TO LET, also four small steam heated furnished rooms at \$1.50 per week. 19 Hurd st. Apply to mason.

THE OFFICES OCCUPIED FOR many years by Dr. Carrigan to let. The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank building. Inquire at bank.

A LARGE OFFICE, 34 BY 14 FEET on the second floor of the Harrington building, 25 Central st., good light and ventilation, for rent. Will be partitioned off to suit a desirable tenant and will be rented or leased at a very reasonable rate. Apply to Dr. J. Harrington, Building Manager, 901 Sun building.

11-ROOM HOUSE TO LET All conveniences and latest improvements. 78 East Merrimack st., near Merrimack square. Inquire Royal Theatre. Tel. 4509 or 1835-W.

SPECIAL NOTICES

MRS. BATTLE, REGISTERED MIDWIFE, 78 East Merrimack st., maternity hospital. Write; will call; lowest rates. 7 Puffer avenue.

ROOMS PAPERED, \$1.75. WE WILL paper your room with up-to-date wall paper, \$1.75. H. J. McCarthy, 641 Broadway.

ROOMS PAPERED, \$2.00. CEILING whitewashed, etc., painting, prices reasonable. John J. Hayden, 35 Burns st., off South Highland st.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED at 27 Meadowcroft st., formerly 150 Gorham st. Satisfaction guaranteed.

WE RE-SILVER OLD MIRRORS to look like new. We make new ones to order. Lowell Mirror Shop, 473 Merrimack st. Telephone 3815.

J. BURNS & SON, SLATE ROOFERS. Roof repaired, 232-W near Concord st. Tel. 1459-J. 200 Pleasant st.

LIMBUING CO. CHIMNEY EXPERTS—Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge st. Tel. 945-W.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—THE SUN IS on sale every day at both news stands and news locations in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

TRADERS NATIONAL BANK Large or small deposits bought. Write Hattie N. Smith, 55 Weybosset st., Providence, R. I.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

AT IS ARLINGTON ST., PLEASANT home of 14 rooms with two open fire places, set tubs, bath, furnace, etc., on a beautifully shaded street just away from the noise and dust of Pawtucket street yet handy to three lines of street cars. This one family house is located right to take Tufts school students or at small expense it could be changed into two flats. Price of house with 50 feet frontage, \$1500. Price of land having 10 ft. frontage, \$500. A. S. Guild, administrator.

NEAR SACRED HEART CHURCH, splendid 6-room 2-story house for sale with bath and pantry; perfect condition; near cars; \$1500. Abel R. Campbell, Sun building.

TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE FOR SALE, in Centralville, near West 51st st.; baths; all complete; rents for \$250 a year; assessed for \$1750; price \$1700. Abel R. Campbell, Sun building.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF A FIVE ACRE poultry place with 7-room cottage and stable on car line. Nashua and Lowell, in town of Andover, near state line turnout, May 22, 1915, at 3 o'clock P. M.

SIX-ROOM COTTAGE HOUSE FOR SALE, near Westford and Smith sts.; excellent repair; state room nice yard; buy this cottage, save car fare; price \$1500. D. F. Leary, 233 Central st.

HELP WANTED

BARBER WANTED FOR NIGHTS and Saturdays. Apply cor. Powell and Chelmsford sts.

PIANO PLAYER WANTED. S. W. Woolworth Co., 3 and 10 Cent Store.

FLY FRAME TENDERS, SPOOLERS, jack tenders, jack card tenders wanted in cotton mill. A. Martel, 1641 Middlesex st. Tel. 1892.

GIRL WANTED TO DO GENERAL housework. Apply 384 Concord st.

SALESMAN—CALL ON STORES and factories. Ambition more necessary than experience. Big proposition for hustler. Manufacturer, Room 306, 309 Broadway, New York.

EXPERIENCED GIRL WANTED for general housework. Apply evenings at 46 Talbot st.

TWO LADIES WANTED AT ONCE to work for reliable house, paying \$18 to \$20 per week. Q 15, Sun Office.

SITUATIONS WANTED

EXPERIENCED MAN WANTS POSITION selling hardware and produce wholesale to retail stores. Address 12 B. Harrell ave., off Coburn st.

LOST AND FOUND

GARNET ROSARY LOST BETWEEN St. Peter's church and Keene st. Finder please leave at McLoughlin's store, cor. Gorham and South sts.

DOG FOUND. OWNER CAN HAVE same by proving property, and paying for adv. at B. & M. Suit Co., 155 Merrimack st.

BLACK HAND BAG LOST, containing keys, papers and money. Lost between Hall st. and Lakeview ave. Reward at Mrs. Goulet's, 160 Hall st.

GENT'S WALTHAM WATCH, OPEN faced, lost Saturday morning on South common, on Union, Gorham, Church or North streets, or post office, extending from Hall st. and Lakeview ave. Reward by inquiring at Sun Office.

AMETHYST ROSARY WITH NAME on cross, lost between Pleasant st. and immaculate Conception church. Reward at 165 Pleasant st.

FOR SALE

CANOE FOR SALE; SEATS SIX people; has running, sails and mast. Apply 5 Stevens st.

LADY'S IVER JOHNSON BICYCLE for sale; perfect condition, excepting tires; price \$5. Tel. 1639-M.

CARPENTERS TOOL CHEST WITH complete set of tools for sale. Inquire 22 Agawam st. Call after 6 p. m., or Sundays. Pedigree stock.

HOUSE AND FURNITURE FOR SALE, 26 Second ave.

VIOLIN FOR SALE; EXCELLENT tone; in perfect condition; with good bow; leather case; will sell for cheap. Write M. Sun Office.

AT BELLE GROVE, FINE COUNTRY house to let; 9 rooms, furnace; water. Tel. 1190. H. A. Flinders.

64-ROOM HOUSE FOR SALE; would make fine rooming house; 12 baths; School st., Highlands. Inquire 221-B. Barney, 506 Stevens st. Tel. 2271-R.

NEARLY NEW UPRIGHT PIANO for sale; cost \$100; will take \$135 for it if taken at once. Address H73, Sun Office.

COPPER FRANKFURT STEAMER for sale; almost new; in first class condition; suitable for restaurant or lunch car. Apply 135 Moody st.

MODEL 5 BUICK T HEAD LOW compression motor; fine running order; 5 passenger body, suitable for jitney bus, or chassis suitable for a truck. Price \$350 cash, or \$100 easy payments. Arthur H. Greene, Park Garage, 823 Middlesex st.

30-ROOM LODGING HOUSE AND boarding house for sale; 19-21 Hurd st.; well lighted and steam heated; rent reasonable for number of rooms and location. Apply at A. E. O'Hell's, 26 Hurd st.

PROF. EHRLICH'S "606" SALVARSAN

Administered in the veins at Dr. Temple's Lowell office. NO LOSS OF TIME from business. NO PAIN. Instant relief. Locomotor ataxia, and various forms of skin diseases arising from blood poison.

This solves the problem of the centuries and rid the world of the WORST SCOURGE that the human race has known. RESULTS IMMEDIATE. Wasserman blood tests made. Ulcers, skin diseases, and various chronic blood and nervous diseases. WITHOUT THE USE OF THE KNIFE. Diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat, skin, stomach, liver, kidneys, bladder, bowels and rectum, epilepsy, and all nervous diseases. Terms always made to suit the convenience of anyone applying for treatment and very reasonable charges. Do not treat elsewhere until you have investigated methods and terms. Lowell office, 57 Central street. Mansur block. Hours: Wednesdays, 2 to 4, 7 to 8, Sundays, 10 to 12. Consultation, Examination, Advice FREE.

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STORAGE FOR FURNITURE Separate room \$1 per month for regular \$2 two-horse load. Planos 50c. The dryer and cleaner place for storage in Lowell. Telephone connection. O. F. Prentiss, 355 Bridge st.

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WHITE WAY CELEBRATION

The final arrangements for the big celebration to be held in this city on the evening of May 26 in conjunction with the opening of the great white way were completed at a meeting of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade, which was held late yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the organization in Central street, and according to plans the event will be a notable one in the history of the Spindle City.

The chief centers of attraction will be Monument square, where a large platform will be erected on the steps of city hall, from which the mayor will turn on the switch, which will throw on the "lights" in all the new lights with the exception of those from Colburn street to Cabot street in Merrimack street and from the railroad station to the city hall. The city hall will be illuminated by the city, and the city hall will be illuminated by the city, and the city hall will be illuminated by the city.

According to plans a brass band will give a concert at city hall and when the signal to throw on the current will be given by means of red fire, the band will strike up the "Star Spangled Banner" and the large audience will sing the national hymn.

The members of the board of trade will gather at their quarters on that night and as soon as darkness sets in they will board automobiles and headed by a brass band will go through the illuminated section. The mayor and other members of the municipal council will be invited to take part in the parade. The route of the parade will be from the corner of Central and Middle streets to Merrimack street, to city hall. Then back to Central. Middlesex as far as the railroad station; then on to Central, Prescott, Middlesex and Bridge as far as the bridge.

The plans for the Lowell day event, which will occupy almost the whole day are also completed and arrangements have been made for special electric cars to leave the surrounding cities and towns in the forenoon and afternoon and it is hoped to keep the large crowd in this city until after the formal opening of the white way. Aviator William S. Luckey has been invited to do aerial stunts at 12:30 and 6:30 p. m. and while in the air the aviator will drop "bombs" which will contain valuable orders for goods at local stores. The visitors will be given free return tickets providing they purchase \$2 worth of goods in Lowell stores.

CHASED BY SUBMARINE

PASSENGER SAYS TRANSYLVANIA STEERED CLEAR BY ZIG-ZAG COURSE

LONDON, May 18.—The Cunard line steamer Transylvania, which arrived at Glasgow yesterday from New York, encountered a submarine off the north-west coast of Ireland at about five o'clock p. m. Saturday. They say that the submarine appeared at a distance estimated variously at 400 to 500 yards away. The periscope and part of the conning tower were in sight for several minutes. The Transylvania's captain immediately turned the ship and steered a criss-cross course until danger was past.

Lifeboats Ready for Work

Some of the passengers declared that the submarine discharged a torpedo at the Transylvania and that they saw a white streak of foam marking the course of the projectile. This is disputed by others, who say that such statements are imaginative.

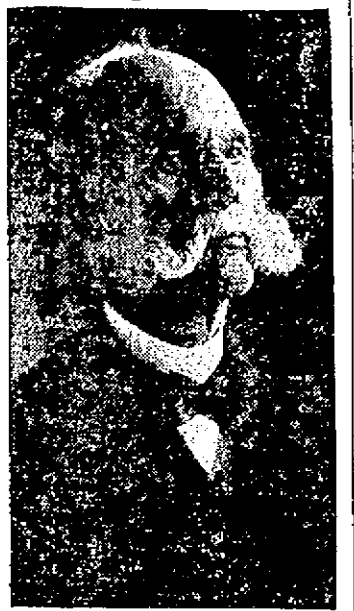
Many of the passengers were below and knew nothing of the incident at the time. It is said that all who were on deck behaved with the greatest coolness.

Lifeboats were prepared for immediate lowering on Saturday morning. Few of the passengers went to bed on the last night of the voyage.

WAS NOTED MILL MAN IN BEHALF OF FRANK

MAJOR G. PERKINS BURIED THIS AFTERNOON WITH SIMPLE SERVICES

The funeral of Major G. Perkins, one of the oldest and best known residents of this city, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, services being held at the



THE LATE MAJOR G. PERKINS.

TENNESSEE SENATE PASSED RESOLUTION REQUESTING GOVERNOR TO COMMUTE SENTENCE

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 18.—The Tennessee senate passed a resolution last night requesting the governor of Georgia to commute to life imprisonment the death sentence of Leo M. Frank.

300,000 MORE RECRUITS

SEC. KITCHENER TO FORM NEW ARMIES—NEWS FROM DARDANELLES SATISFACTORY

LONDON, May 18.—In the house of lords this afternoon Secretary for War Kitchener said he wanted 300,000 more recruits to form new armies.

He expressed his confidence that in the very near future the country would be in a satisfactory position with regard to the supply of ammunition.

The news from the Gallipoli peninsula—in other words the Dardanelles—was thoroughly satisfactory, Earl Kitchener declared.

ALLIES TO USE GASES

LONDON, May 18.—Secretary for War Kitchener stated in the house of lords this afternoon that the British and French government felt that the allied troops must be adequately protected against poisonous gases by the employment of similar methods. These would remove the enormous and unjustifiable advantage which must otherwise exist.

IN PROBATE COURT

Session of Uncontested Cases Held at the Court House This Morning—Administration Granted

A number of local cases were scheduled to be heard by Justice McIntire at the contested session of the probate court this morning, but all with the exception of one were postponed to a later date. The case heard was that of the trustees of the estate of the late James K. Fellows, a case of estate. The petitioners were not present and the respondents were represented by Haven G. Hill, who presented his argument. The state was represented by the attorney general.

In the uncontested session, Justice Lawton presiding, the following wills were allowed: James E. Field, Lowell; Philip P. Connors, Lowell; Oversee A. Flint, Dracut; Eben E. Moore, Lowell.

The following administrations were granted: Mary J. Dudley, Lowell; Asa Judd, Lowell.

TRAMPS BURNED TO DEATH

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., May 18.—At least five tramps were burned to death yesterday when a Missouri Pacific freight train was wrecked.

SUN FEATURES WEDNESDAY

"The Man in the Moon" Contributes Interesting Article—Other Special Departments

Interesting observations, expressed in a pleasing manner will be contributed to Wednesday's Sun by "The Man in the Moon" who is a favorite with all Sun readers.

Little problems of etiquette which constantly arise will be solved in "Evie's Etiquette," a special feature of the Sun tomorrow.

In "Mildred's Boudoir" will tell how to care for the eyebrows.

"The French Maid Said" will describe the method of making a neat shoe box.

Children will delight in the "Sleepy-time Tale." "The Spider's Web."

31 ARRESTS IN RAIDS

HOLYOKE, May 18.—Fines aggregating \$1040 were imposed in police court yesterday as the result of raids made early Sunday morning.

"Prudie" Williams and Cora Osborne were fined \$100 each for keeping disorderly houses and \$100 each for illegal liquor keeping. Eleven girls and 21 men taken in the raids were fined \$20 each under fictitious names.

INJURED ON THE ALLEYS

Christopher Lampos, of 110 Lewis street, employed at the New Jewel alleys on Merrimack street, slipped and fell while running on an alley last night and sustained a fracture of his right hip. He was removed in the ambulance to the Lowell general hospital.

DIED OF BROKEN HEART

BOSTON, May 18.—Grief over the death of his wife, who passed away Saturday, is said to have been the cause of the sudden death yesterday morning of Edward C. Winther, aged 52, at his home, 415 East 7th street, South Boston.

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FORESTERS' CONVENTION

Seven of the eight local courts of Foresters of America were represented at the opening of the 27th annual convention of the grand court of Massachusetts, which took place at 9 o'clock this forenoon in the Cooley house, Springfield. The length of the convention, depends upon the amount of business to be transacted and it is thought that this year's meeting will occupy at least two days.

Grand Chief Ranger Joseph M. Guise of Chicopee is presiding.

Court General Shields of this city is not represented at the convention by delegates according to the official list given out by the grand court. Besides the regular delegates chosen by the different courts, James J. Gallagher of this city is attending as past grand chief ranger and William H. Stafford as grand secretary.

Much business pertaining to the progress of the order will be discussed this afternoon and evening and tomorrow. Tomorrow the annual election of officers will take place and William H. Stafford is a candidate for re-election to the office of grand secretary. The official list of delegates from the local courts is as follows:

Court Merrimack, No. 11: John E. Hendricks, J. W. Sharkey, Charles L. Marren, Owen O'Neil and Thomas F. Kelley.

Court Middlesex, No. 23: Edward Brick, Daniel H. Quinn and John H. Condon.

Court City of Lowell, No. 30: Patrick McGilly and Thomas E. O'Dea.

Court Sabourin de Champlain, No. 43: Joseph Sabourin and George Ouellette.

Court Wamesit, No. 51: William A. Kelley.

Court Scandia, No. 132: Nels Nelson.

Court General Dimon, No. 217: Mayor Murphy and Stephen Breen.

AUTO TRUCK SKIDDED

Charles Sharf Had Narrow Escape From Injury—Bumped Against the Hamilton Mill

Charles Sharf, the ice cream dealer at the corner of School and Pawlucket streets, had a narrow escape from being injured about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon when the auto-delivery truck which he was driving skidded on Middlesex street and after turning completely around crashed into the wall of the Hamilton mill boiler room, smashing the rear right wheel. Fortunately, Mr. Sharf was not thrown from his seat and escaped injury.

The accident was undoubtedly caused by the slippery condition of the street during yesterday's rain. Mr. Sharf was headed for Central street at a fair rate of speed and when he turned right onto Middlesex street, the machine suddenly skidded. The rear end of the truck was swung across the sidewalk and against the Hamilton mill wall.

J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

OPENING AT LAKEVIEW

Despite the fact that the residents of Collinsville have petitioned the board of selectmen not to grant a Sunday license for Lakeview, to the Bay State Street Railway Co. until the company agrees to issue free transfers on the Lakeview avenue line as far as the junction of Mammoth road, the company at the last meeting of the town officials received all the permits necessary to carry on its business at the park as in former years.

The petitioners were given a hearing some time ago, but before they heard the selectmen held a conference with the officials of the railroad company so that at their last meeting they were in a position to side the question, for they had heard both sides of the argument. The permits were granted with the understanding that all places of amusement, etc. must be closed not later than 12 p. m.

The slaughtering establishments of the town were given notice that they are now only allowed to kill on three half-days a week, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays this being the result of the severe cut in the annual appropriation for the inspection of meat which was reduced to \$500, the amount expended last year being \$1014. It is believed a special meeting will be called very soon to remove this restriction.

Hamilton Watches for graduation gifts. See G. H. Wood, 135 Central street.

EUGENIC MARRIAGES

Will insure to this country a healthier and more intelligent "family of the future" and many a woman, obviously unfit for marriage, has had her health restored by the timely use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the most successful remedy for female ills the world has ever known. Enormous quantities of roots and herbs are used annually in making this good old-fashioned remedy and no woman who suffers from female ills should lose hope until she has tried it.

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

An epidemic of influenza has incapacitated thousands of factory workers in Manchester, Eng.

Labor leaders recently ordered striking milk drivers at Chicago on the water wagon as a war measure.

The American Federation of Labor has increased its membership in 54 years from 50,000 to over 2,000,000.

According to reports, unemployment in England has virtually vanished and a result of the war and there is plenty of work to be found.

The Carpenters' union will meet tonight in the union quarters in the Russell building and business of importance will come up for transacting.

According to reports, the U. S. Cartilage Co., employed about 2500 hands last week. This number will be materially increased when the new plants are in operation.

At each meeting of woolen spinners will be held in Trades & Labor hall tonight. Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers will chair.

George Goddard, the well known distance runner who is employed on the night shift at the U. S. Cartilage Co., will be entered in the coming meet to be conducted at the Hunting grounds.

Miss Nellie Thomas a popular young lady employee of the Lowell Weaving Co., has been signed to play with one of the leading girl baseball teams of the city.

In the six weeks operation of the government plan to connect the jobless man with the manless job, the postoffice and labor departments found employment for 1,215 men.

Organizer Daniel E. Whelan of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union arrived in this city last night after attending to important business in Providence, R. I. He spent Sunday night with his family in Freetown, Mass.

Organizer Ross Hall of the American Federation of Labor who is also New England business agent for the Machinists' International arrived in this city about noon yesterday, the week-end with his family in Lynn.

Organizer John Gillespie of the Teamsters' union, who is stationed in Boston arrived in this city yesterday afternoon. He will address an open meeting of the organization to be held in Trades & Labor hall tonight.

The Brewery Workers' union of New York has adopted new rules and regulations to which no one who is not a citizen or who has not taken out his first citizen's papers can become a member of the union.

Michael Machin, the unfortunate seaman who had both legs severed above the knees yesterday morning by being run over by a shifter, probably slipped while in the act of throwing a switch.

William Eiston, secretary of the

Leather Workers' union, who is employed in the trimming department of the American Hide & Leather Co., has been offered a more remunerative position in the checking department of the same plant. It is understood that he will accept.

Better child labor legislation has been successfully blocked by the cotton manufacturers of North Carolina but the child's turn will come in the future. At the present time there are but five states without a 14 year old working limit and North Carolina is one of these.

Now that the good weather has arrived Overseer Wamsley of the Massachusetts mills will again be seen journeying to some of the local towns in quest of the scalps of some of the worst chumps. The overseer has an enviable reputation in local golf circles and has beaten a number of the most prominent amateurs.

Francis ("Doc") Garrity of the H. E. Barker Co., in company with William Lane and Lawrence Bourke, employees of Mulliner & Co., plumbers, broke all speed records in their walk from this city to their camp at Willow Dale last Saturday night. It is reported they made the distance in less than an hour and a half.

Loomfixers Union, Local 734

The Loomfixers union, Local 734, met in regular session last evening in the union quarters in the Russell building with President John Hanley in the chair. Considerable routine business was transacted and four applications for membership were received.

An interesting report relative to the financial standing of the organization was made, and interesting remarks on the good of the union were made by Organizers McMahon, Hegan and others.

Organizer Regan Home

Thomas Regan, who for the past few years has been connected with the United Textile Workers as general organizer, is back home in this city. Last night he visited Trades & Labor hall and while there renewed many old acquaintances. For some time he has been assigned to southern cities, and he describes labor conditions south of the Mason and Dixon line as deplorable. Textile centers of New England are much better off, according to his reports.

Teamsters Union

An open meeting was held by the Teamsters union last night in Trades & Labor hall at which General Organizer John Gillespie of Boston was the principal speaker. He spoke on the advantages to be gained by affiliating with a union. A short business session was also held before the meeting and a list of routine business was transacted. Four applications for membership were received and two new members were initiated.

Noonday Meetings

A good sized gathering of employees of the Talbot mills was addressed yesterday noon by Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers, who urged all to attend the open meeting of woolen spinners to be held in Trades & Labor hall tonight. Today will the same speaker talk to the employees of the Navy Yard and Collinsville mills on the same subject.

Boot & Shoe Workers Union

Daniel E. Whelan, organizer for the Boot & Shoe Workers union, reports the organization to be in good standing. The union is steadily increasing. Besides having charge of the local in this city, Mr. Whelan also has a new local started in Newburyport, and makes a trip there one day each week to inquire into its workings. An open meeting of the Lowell union will be held within a short time at which Charles L. Marren, general secretary-treasurer, will be the principal speaker.

Moulders Union, Local 85

A meeting of the Moulders union, Local 85, was held last evening at Cotton Spinners hall, Middle street, with a good sized attendance. Reports concerning the labor forward movement were read and Secretary Charles E. Anderson reported on the business transacted at the conference of moulders held recently in Providence, R. I. Business in the various shops about the city was reported to be fair. A communication containing the following figures was received from the International union and read at the meeting:

Since Jan. 1, 1910, to Dec. 31, 1914, \$936,516.25 has been paid in death benefits and \$105,200 in total disability benefits. From Jan. 1, 1910, to Dec. 31, 1914, \$2,522,373 has been paid in sick benefits, and from Jan. 1, 1910, to Dec. 31, 1914, \$316,185.28 has been paid in cost of work benefits. In a period covering 25 years the total of \$4,576,163 has been paid in strike benefits. These figures total \$5,457,150.50.

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Mr. Muller began his mill career under his father in one of the biggest mills in Europe, manufacturing woollens and worsteds. For the next six years he spent his time learning all the details of the woolen and worsted yarn trade. After that he went to work for a card manufacturer and was for some time an overseer of carding in a country commission yarn mill. Leaving this position he went on the road visiting textile machinery.

Driven by a desire to learn more of the methods in American mills he resigned the latter position and came to Lowell where he secured employment at the Rietlow Carpet Co. He stayed with the local company for three years, and during this time he studied assiduously in the Lowell Textile school the theory of worsted yarn making. Leaving Lowell to go to work at the Hedges Clothing Co. and a short time ago he resigned his position with them to go to Cheney Bros. of South Manchester, Conn.

Local friends of Mr. Muller say that his mill career has been so shaped that he has developed into a practical as well as a theoretical mill man, and one who has learned the green well of combining efficiency with practice.

We have an exceptionally fine stock of Wedding Ties and 1 and 1 1/2 ct. Geo. H. Wood, 135 Central street.

QUEST THE PRIVY COUNCIL

LONDON, May 18.—Sir Edgar Speyer has sent a letter to Premier Asquith resigning his privy councilship and requesting also the revocation of his baronetcy.

STATE OF SIEGE DECLARED

ROME, May 18.—Despatches from Trieste confirm previous reports that a revolutionary movement is in progress there and a state of siege has been declared. The presence of the military, however, has failed to prevent attempts at popular uprising, and demonstrations of hostility to Emperor Francis Joseph.

STEAMER SINGALED

NEW YORK, May 18.—Steamer Singa, from Bordeaux for New York, signalled, Deck 8 a. m. Wednesday.

Hairs Will Vanish After This Treatment

(Toilet Hints)

You can keep your skin free from hair or fuzz by the occasional use of plain delatone and in using it you need have no fear of matting or injuring the skin. A thick waste is made by mixing some of the powdered delatone with water. Then spread on the hairs and after 2 or 3 minutes run off, wash the skin and all traces of hair have vanished. Be careful, however, to get real delatone.

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FITCHBURG 3 - LOWELL 6

TO PREPARE LOAN ORDER FOR PAWTUCKET BRIDGE

The municipal council at its regular meeting today voted to instruct the city solicitor to prepare an order to borrow \$36,000 for the construction of reinforced concrete bridge at Pawtucket falls to take the place of the present bridge.

It was not expected that any action relative to a new bridge would be taken at today's meeting as Mayor Murphy had told the bridge petitioners that the bill now before the legislature asking that Lowell be allowed to borrow \$700,000 beyond the debt limit.

WARNED BY SUBMARINE Leyland Liner Prevented From Going to Rescue of Lusitania—40 Miles Away

BOSTON, May 18.—According to her captain, W. P. Wood, the Leyland liner Etonian, which arrived from Liverpool today, prevented from going to the rescue of the Lusitania by a warning that an attack might be made upon his own vessel.

The Etonian left Liverpool the day before the Lusitania disaster. Captain Wood was forty miles from Kinsale when he received a wireless call from the Lusitania. The call was also picked up by the steamers City of Exeter and Narragansett. The Narragansett, the captain said, was made a target for submarine attack.


Captain Wood said: "I was about 40 miles distant from the position the Lusitania's operator gave me. The Narragansett was closer to the Lusitania."

"At 5 p. m. I observed the City of Exeter cross our bows and she signalled: 'Have you heard anything of the disaster?'"

"At that very moment I saw the periscope of a submarine between the Etonian and the City of Exeter. The submarine was about a quarter of a mile directly ahead of us. She immediately dived as soon as she saw us coming for her. I distinctly saw the splash in the water by her submerging. I signalled to the engine room for every available inch of speed and there was a prompt response. Then we saw the submarine come up astern of us. I now ordered full speed ahead and we left the submarine slowly. The periscope remained in sight about 20 minutes. Our speed was perhaps two miles an hour better than the submarine could do."

"No sooner had we lost sight of the submarine astern than I met another on the starboard bow. This one was directly ahead and on the surface. I signalled her to stop. She signalled back: 'About eight minutes later she submerged. I continued at top speed for four hours and saw no more of the submarine. It was the ship's speed that saved her, that's all.'"

"The Narragansett as soon as she heard the 'S. O. S.' call went to the assistance of the Lusitania. One of the submarines discharged a torpedo at her and missed by not more than eight feet. The Narragansett then warned us not to go to the rescue of the Lusitania and I got her wireless. You can see that three ships would have gone to the assistance of the Lusitania had they not been attacked by the two submarines."

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CHALIFOUX'S

INNINGS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Fitchburg	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	10	1
Lowell	0	1	0	0	0	3	2	0	x	6	12	3

As though endeavoring to encourage the efforts of the blue baseball flag which waved taken of a baseball game at Spaulding park this afternoon, the weather changed for the warmer about noon today and when the first line of fans arrived at the wicket the atmosphere was well high ideal for the national pastime.

The Fitchburgers from Fitchburg were with us again today. Danny Noonan's squad of players looked fit after their layoff yesterday and so did the local crew. Everybody was chock full of "bep" and the batting and fielding practice of the two clubs developed lots of life.

Yesterday's layoff helped out "Tex" Meyers' ready. The first baseman has now nearly recovered from his recent illness. "Tex" recovery leaves Snubner Greenhouse all alone in the hospital. The dispirited catcher's knee is still stiff and lame and it may be a week before he can take his regular turn behind the bat.

Lowell opened today's game in fifth place with an even number of wins and losses. The team realized that if Worcester, Manchester and Portland lost and the local club won that Lowell would be tied for second place and Manager Barrows was particularly anxious to win today's contest for that reason.

Although Fitchburg is tied for last place with the Lewiston club Manager McCune did not appear to be discouraged over his team's prospects. "We'll get going before long," he stated.

John Reiger, who was with the Lowell club during the championship game, while Matty Zieser opposed him as the local slinger. Reiger is a spitball pitcher and Zieser depends upon his speed and a fine breaking curve ball.

Bobby Keeler held the indicator this afternoon. Ritter, the outfielder, was pulled by Fitchburg from the St. Louis American club, led off for Fitchburg. Ritter, although an outfielder, is being played by Fitchburg at second.

The lineup was as follows:

LOWELL
Swaine, c
McCluskey, 2b
Barrows, 1b
Stimpson, 3b
Meyers, 4b
Dec, ss
Egan, p

FITCHBURG
Ritter, 2b
Young, 1b
Duggan, 3b
L. Smith, 4b
Nichols, 5b
Sullivan, 6b
Reiger, p

First Inning
Ritter sent a grounder at Zieser. Rich bounced over the pitcher's head. Dec and McCluskey both ran for it. The ball was moving slowly. Instead of one of them shouting for it, both ran until within a few feet of the ball when it struck a collision and the ball rolled safely through center field. Young grew very peevish when Empire Rob called the third strike on him. Duggan marched to the plate and slapped a single to right. Swaine threw in held Ritter at second. The fans clapped Zieser when he struck out Smith after giving him three bad ones. Clay cracked a line drive to Stimpson for the third out and the Fitchburg team took the field. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Swaine opened up for Lowell with a dandy single over second. McCluskey very wisely sacrificed him to second on a grounder which Reiger fielded. Barrows bused one over the fence but it was a foul. The Lowell manager then struck out much to the surprise of everybody, himself included. Stimpson sent out on a hard grounder to second base which Ritter fielded. It was a nice play. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 0, Fitchburg 0.

Second Inning
Sullivan shot a fast grounder to center-field just out of Dec's reach; it was a single. Robinson, on the first ball pitched, bunted to McMahon for a sacrifice which sent Sullivan to second. The visitor's catcher with a polite name hit to Dec and was thrown out at first. Sullivan making third while the put-out was being enacted. McMahon allowed Reiger's grounder to roll through his legs and Sullivan scored. Reiger closed the inning with a fly to McMahon. One run, one hit, one error.

Meyers fooled the Fitchburg outfielder when he lifted a fly to extreme left. Meyers is a left handed hitter and the outfielders were playing for a blow toward right field. It was a one base knock. McMahon then sacrificed Meyers up a peg. Dec hit one off his handle for a lucky double to right. The ball fell to a few inches from the foul line. McCluskey easily. Dec went along to third while Ritter was throwing Egan out at first. Zieser went out on a grounder near first base and the score was still a tie. No runs one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 1, Fitchburg 1.

Third Inning
McMahon made a beautiful one-hand stab of Young's grounder and got the man at first. The Low looked like a sure hit but Billie. It went after it with his gloved hand and speared it much to the satisfaction of the crowd. Duggan smashed a single through Meyers to right field. Smith grounded to Zieser and Duggan was forced at second. Matty was forced to walk several feet before he was out. Reiger threw a blue throw. Clay's hard smash along the third base foul line went to the left field fence for two bases. Duggan taking third. Stimpson did very well to field the ball back to the diamond in order to prevent Smith from scoring. Sullivan filed to Barrows in short center and a critical period was passed. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Swaine's fly to right centre was too high and Clay made an easy putout. Robinson was waiting for McCluskey's high fly to come down. Ritter sent a slow roller down toward second and the Lowell leader was shut off at the initial catch. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 1, Fitchburg 1.

Fourth Inning
McCluskey threw out Robinson on his slow roller. Robinson evidently did not know he hit the ball for his bat was very slow. Gaston could not solve Zieser's delivery and was a victim on strikes. Barrows was again deadly in center field when Reiger's long fly chased him onto deep territory. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Stimpson led off the latter part of the fourth with a single to right which Ritter made a vain attempt to head off. Meyers pushed up a high infield fly which Smith got under. It was a hit-and-run play and Stimpson was fortunate to have time to get back to second. Ritter made a fine catch of McMahon's short fly in right. Again the hit and run signal was on and Stimpson had gone around nearly to third so that a double play was easy. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 1, Fitchburg 1.

Fifth Inning
Ritter's elbow stopped one of Zieser's fast ones amid growing imprecations. The Fitchburg second baseman picked his angry way to first. Young intended to sacrifice Ritter but instead

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forced the previous batter with a grounder to Meyers. Duggan connected for a one-base wallop to right, sending Young to third. Duggan was forced at second when Smith hit to Zieser. McCune, the visitor's manager, kicked on the decision, claiming that Zieser's throw pulled McCluskey off the bag. Clay made the third out when he grounded to Meyers. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Dec was thrown out at first on his ground knock to Young. Egan smacked the ball on the nose and it struck the left field fence. The catcher scampered to second before the ball came back. Reiger was wild and issued the first pass of the game to Zieser. Up to this time both pitchers had shown excellent control. Swaine hit to Young and Zieser was forced at second. Egan's bow legs twinkled to third and Swaine was safe at first. Swaine surprised the Fitchburg catcher by swiping second on the first ball pitched. Reiger could not find the ball to throw. McCluskey walked to first, filling the sacks. With Barrows at the bat the bleachers yelled for a score. Barrows was called out on strikes and the score was still a tie. No runs one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 1, Fitchburg 1.

Sixth Inning
Sullivan was easy for Barrows with a fly to short center. Robinson almost tore Zieser's leg off with a smash which went to center field. Barrows failed to stop the ball and it went nearly to the fence. Robinson went around to third. Gaston singled through the infield to left. Robinson trotting home with another Fitchburg run. Zieser lost control and passed up Reiger. Barrows grabbed Ritter's fly in short center. Young cracked the ball to left and the bases were filled. Zieser bunched Duggan in the ribs and forced in Gaston. Stimpson took Smith's fly in short left and a sad half inning was completed. The Fitchburg's runs would probably not have been scored had not Robinson's single gone through Barrows. With the infield playing their regular position Dec could have gotten Gaston's grounder which went for a hit. Two runs, three hits, one error.

Stimpson did not have to take his bat from his shoulder for Reiger was again generous. Reiger walked Meyers. Manager McCluskey called time. Reiger was yanked and Tucker ushered into the box for the visitors. McMahon bunted toward first. Tucker fielded the ball and tucked it in. Smith finding the bag uncovered. Smith having come in on the bunt. McMahon was safe while Stimpson went to third and Meyers to second. The bases full, and nobody out it looked like a certain score. Dec hit to the left. Egan and Young were forced at home. Stimpson was forced at second. Gaston slipped the ball to left in an attempt to get Meyers but the big fellow ran into the third baseman and there were still three men on bases. Egan sent up a high fly to right center which Duggan got one hand out but couldn't hold. Meyers crossed the plate while the other base runner moved up and Zieser slapped the fly to right which allowed McMahon and Dec to score while Egan scooted around to third. Matty simply proved his metal by this timely clutch throw. McCluskey went out on an infield fly. Things began to look much rosier for our side. Three runs, three hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 4, Fitchburg 2.

Seventh Inning
Dec threw out Clay on his creeping grounder. Sullivan singled to right. Swaine making a vain attempt to right under the short fly. McMahon accepted Robinson's high infield fly near first. Ritter hit also took Gaston's grounder and sent it to Meyers ahead of the runner. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Barrows opened the seventh for Lowell with a terrific smash to center, which rolled against the fence. Clay did not exceed any speed limits, however, in going around the bases on account of the recently sprained tendon but made third easily. It was just as well for Stimpson brought him home with a pretty bing to center which went for a base. Tucker tried hard to get Stimpson off the base, but couldn't. Meyers then sacrificed Stimpson to the pivot position. Stimpson went to third when Young dropped Tucker's throw to catch him at second. McMahon singled to right and Stimpson romped home with another tally. Dec singled to right, sending Young to first. Tucker got all bawled up and made a back toward first; that is, he made a motion to throw toward first base and did not. Umphre Keeler sent both McMahon and

U.S. NOTE TO GERMANY PUBLISHED IN BERLIN

BERLIN, May 18.—The official text of the American note to Germany was published here today. It was said at the foreign office that it would be some days before the answer of the Imperial government was ready. This because the note raises many points, and consultation between several departments of the government will be necessary in preparing a reply.

REPLY THURSDAY
PARIS, May 18.—Germany's reply to the American note will be sent Thursday, according to the Matin's Amsterdam correspondent. This reply, the despatch says, will justify the attack on the Lusitania on the ground that the submarine commander has affirmed in his report that only one torpedo was fired. The second explosion being due to the fact that the ship carried munitions of war. The report is said to state that the torpedo was fired in such a way the Lusitania would not have sunk if she had not had explosives aboard.

The Matin's correspondent says it is reported in Amsterdam that Germany will throw the responsibility for the disaster on England and on the American authorities who permitted passengers to embark on a ship carrying explosives. It is believed in Holland the correspondent asserts that Germany will decline to modify its methods of submarine warfare.

PIRATICAL AND INFAMOUS ACTS
RIO DE JANEIRO, May 18.—Commenting on the American note to Germany the local papers in editorial articles express the view that this communication make it incumbent upon Germany either to make herself piratical and infamous or to cease her piratical and infamous acts. In defending its interests, the paper says, the United States is defending the interests of all America and of all neutral countries—countries which already should have taken action along these lines.

PAID NOTHING FOR STOCKS

STACUSE, N. Y., May 18.—William Barnes testified under cross examination in the supreme court today in that his \$50,000 "libel" suit against Theodore Roosevelt that in 1901 he was given 750 shares of stock in the J. B. Lyon Co. of Albany after he had expressed a desire to become a partner of the founder of the printing concern so that he might prosper. He also testified that in 1901 he was given 750 shares of stock in the J. B. Lyon Co. of Albany after he had expressed a desire to become a partner of the founder of the printing concern so that he might prosper.

Mr. Barnes said he paid nothing for the stock.

Mr. Barnes endeavored to make it plain that he only intended to remain associated with the Lyon company until such a time as the Albany journal company would be in a position to handle public printing on its own account, as he said, "it had a perfect right to do."

Of an "agreement" mentioned on the face of a stock certificate issued to him by Barnes said that referred to an understanding he had with the Lyon not to sell the stock to any third party.

He readily admitted that he had written a letter to the Mutual Life Insurance company regarding a yearly "monstrum" which was to be paid his father. This letter first came to light during the insurance investigation of 1905.

The cross examination of Mr. Barnes conducted by John M. Bowers, chief counsel for Theodore Roosevelt defendant in his suit for libel, was concluded during the day and the re-direct examination was begun.

Plaintiff Retested
The case of the plaintiff retested after Mr. Barnes had offered explanations of various parts of the testimony he gave on cross-examination. William Lyon Jr., former collector of the port of New York, was then recalled as a witness for the defense. He contradicted witnesses who said he did not meet Mr. Barnes in New York during the deadlock of 1911.

When Mr. Barnes resumed the witness stand Mr. Bowers, chief counsel for the defense, began the day's cross examination with a question relative to the printing contract Mr. Barnes sold to James B. Lyon for \$40,000.

Justice Andrews recalled to the attention of the attorney that by a ruling made yesterday the witness could not be questioned about printing unless it was intended to assail his credibility.

Mr. Bowers said that he believed that when the full truth about the contract was elicited it would be of continuation on Page 4.

PROPERTY TO BE SEIZED
The total assessed valuation of property to be acquired by the city in Kirk and Anne streets in connection with the new high school plan, is \$119,054. \$85,100 in Kirk street, \$33,954 in Anne street, as follows:
Kirk street: Number 40, heirs of Harriet E. Jewett, 2644 feet, valuation, \$4550; No. 42, Malinda W. Costello, \$180 feet, \$6200; No. 46, Ida C. Braun, 2582 feet, \$5850; No. 48, John Kearney, 2231 feet, \$5350; No. 50, John Kearney, 2862 feet, \$7650; No. 54, Elizabeth J. Shunney, 2562 feet, \$5550; No. 56, James Crompton, 2544 feet, \$5050; No. 58, heirs of Sarah A. Boyden, 2514 feet, \$5050; No. 60, Children's home, 2509 feet, exempt from taxation, \$6500; No. 64, Lowell Day Nursery, 2650 feet, exempt from taxation, \$7650; No. 66, Lowell Day Nursery, 2855 feet, \$5400.
In Anne street: No. 23, Genoa club, K. of C., 7144 feet, valuation \$17,150; No. 27, Almira Chapman, 5715 feet, \$9200; No. 29, Joseph and Eugene Gage, 5235 feet, \$5750; No. 31, Anna F. and Elizabeth W. Anderson, 5231 feet, \$5750; No. 33, Merrimack Mfg. Co., 3535 feet, \$10,135.

VICTORY FOR THE RUSSIANS
A far reaching victory in Bukovina, the Austrian crown land on the eastern extremity of the Russian front, is claimed in an official announcement from Petrograd. According to this statement, the Russians have swept through Bukovina, making back much of the territory which they held earlier in the war until they were driven out by the Austrians. Their successes are described as of such importance that they more than offset the Austro-German victory in West Galicia in the drive from Cracow. It is reported the Russians have taken Czernowitz, capital of Bukovina, having broken down Austrian resistance over a 50 mile front and captured 20,000 prisoners.

Concedes Retreat in Poland
The Russian war office concedes a further retreat in Russian Poland between the Pilia and Vistula rivers on part of the long front over which they have been compelled by the Austro-German armies to fall back.

Allies' Attacks Repulsed
The Turkish general staff at the Parisian reports that several attacks on the Turkish right wing by the allies have been repulsed with heavy losses.

German Reply Thursday
An Amsterdam despatch to a Paris newspaper says the German reply to the American note will not be despatched on Thursday and that it is expected in Holland that Germany will defend the sinking of the Lusitania and decline to modify her methods of submarine warfare.

Italy's Decision Postponed
The decision of Italy's policy concerning the war apparently has been postponed until after parliament meets.

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AUTO STRUCK FENCE
An automobile driven by an unknown party crashed into a fence in Gorbam street near the Butler school this forenoon and caused considerable damage. The owner of the machine is not known for there was no eye witness of the accident. However, it is easy to conceive by the track left on the sidewalk and lawn that the fence breaker was an automobile. The fence of Hamilton Burrege, at 555 Gorbam street was partially demolished as was that of Mrs. Murphy's next door. As far as could be learned no one was injured and the chauffeur left the premises as fast as he could. The cause of the machine being driven on the sidewalk is not known.

NATURALIZATION EXAMINERS
M. Miles Dodge and John F. Davis, U. S. naturalization examiners, were at the local postoffice this afternoon examining candidates for second papers. The candidates who are to appear in court on June 7.

PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heap, of 354 Middlesex street are rejoicing on the birth of a son.
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Tomkins, of 22 Hazel street are being congratulated on the arrival of a baby brother for their little girl.
Mrs. Woodbury Tuttle, of Haverhill, formerly Miss Annie Adams, is visiting relatives in this city.

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38 MINING MEN FREED

PROP CASES AGAINST MOYER AND OTHER OFFICIALS—WERE CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY

CALUMET, Mich., May 18.—A nolle prosequi was entered yesterday in the cases against President C. H. Moyer and 37 other officials of the Western Federation of Miners, indicted on charges of conspiracy by the Houghton county grand jury a year ago as a result of alleged acts of violence said to have been committed at the direction of the defendants during the copper strike.

The order was made by Judge P. H. O'Brien in the Baraga county circuit court at L'Anse, on motion of Prosecutor W. J. Galbraith of Houghton county.

Meanwhile the strike had ended. The decision to drop the prosecution was said to have been one of the first decisions of the new county administration elected last autumn.

SEEK NEW WATER SUPPLY

LAWRENCE UP AGAINST IT—MAYOR KANE WILL APPOINT A "WATER SEARCHING" COMMITTEE

LAWRENCE, May 18.—Mayor Kane was authorized and directed by the municipal council yesterday to appoint a commission of three members to secure a new source of water supply for the city of Lawrence. The proposition was introduced at the regular session of the council by Alderman Hannagan, who declared that the water in the Merrimack river was constantly becoming more polluted and the resultant cost of filtration was growing greater each year. The measure was passed without further discussion. Residents in the vicinity of Mount Vernon and Beacon streets, who for more than three years have been pleading for an adequate water supply in that neighborhood were in attendance at the meeting this forenoon and again urged that the city government take cognizance of the situation and show a disposition to assist them. Upon the motion of Alderman Maloney the council voted to instruct Alderman Hannagan to take immediate steps with a view toward relieving conditions.

Alderman Hannagan stated that he would make an effort to secure water from the town of Andover as he said he saw no other solution. To connect with the high water service he said would be prohibitive because of the cost.

BILLERICA

Plans for a Memorial Day observance in Billerica will be discussed at the meeting of Asa John Patten circle, 26 Ladies of the G. A. R., to be held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Adelaide Bottomley, North Billerica. A large attendance of members is expected.

William McBride, James F. Rule and Bernard Fetherston, all overseers in the Talbot mills, have returned from the cutting and convention of New England overseers held at Rocky Point, near Providence, R. I. Saturday.

CHESTNUT BARK DISEASE

Public Hearing to Consider Admissibility of State Quarantine Prohibiting Shipment of Nursery Stock

WASHINGTON, May 18.—A public hearing was held at the department of agriculture today to consider the advisability of state quarantines prohibiting the shipment of chestnut nursery stock and chestnut lumber retaining the natural bark from Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia, and portions of Ohio, North Carolina, Iowa and Nebraska to points outside those states.

The hearing was called as a result of the failure of congress to appropriate for further federal control of the chestnut bark disease after July 1, 1915.

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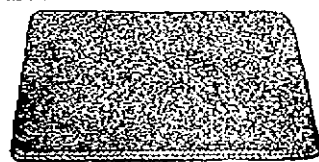
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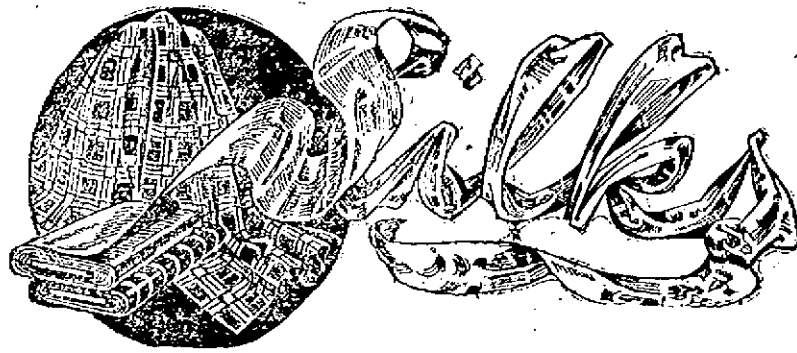
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RIGGS BANK CASE

Bitterness in Case—
Comptroller Williams
Called Law Violator

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Arguments on the legal phases of the injunction suit brought by the Riggs National bank against Secretary McAdoo, Comptroller Williams and John Burke, treasurer of the United States, who are charged by the bank with conspiring to wreck it, were continued today in the supreme court of the District of Columbia.

Frank J. Hogan, of counsel for the bank, resumed his argument in opposition to motions of government counsel that the proceedings be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. Arguments on questions of law probably will not be concluded before the close of tomorrow's session of the court. If the court should overrule the motions to dismiss the defendant officials then would have to show cause why they should not be permanently enjoined from continuing the alleged unlawful interference with the bank.

An indication of the bitterness with which the litigation will be fought developed soon after the case was called yesterday. The opposing lawyers engaged in a heated wrangle over publicity methods employed in the proceedings, upon which Justice McCoy, presiding, called a halt with the announcement "that this court is not going to be used as a laboratory to test bad blood."

Louis Brandeis, Samuel Untermyer and associate counsel for Secretary McAdoo, Comptroller of the Currency Williams and Treasurer John Burke, who are charged with conspiring to wreck the Riggs bank, filed briefs in support of their motions to dismiss the proceedings.

They maintained that "the suit involves the property of the United States" and that the government cannot be made a party to a suit without its consent. The officers in their dealings with the bank, it was declared, acted in their official capacity and within the law. The right of the bank to sue in equity also was challenged on the ground that it had an adequate remedy at law.

Mr. Hogan charged in his argument that a political aspect had been injected into the case and that 80 per cent. of the affidavit filed by Secretary McAdoo had nothing to do with the proceedings. He cited authorities

to show that officials of the government may be made amenable to the court when they attempt to usurp authority and asserted that Mr. McAdoo usurped authority to be the paying officer of the United States and with holding \$5000 interest on bonds due the Riggs bank to satisfy penalties by Comptroller Williams.

Referring to Comptroller Williams, Mr. Hogan said:

"We hale to the bar an individual who has abandoned a law administrator and become a law violator."

The withdrawal of American Red Cross and Panama canal funds from

deposit at the Riggs bank, the attorney declared, was brought about through the interference of Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller Williams.

"Together," he said, "these men took away from the Riggs bank more than \$2,000,000 in deposits yet they said that the bank might not be solvent as it is today if they had not helped it."

It was believed today that probably two more days would be occupied by the arguments on the legal phases of the proceedings. If the court should overrule the motions to dismiss the defendant officials then would have to

show cause why they should not be permanently enjoined from continuing the alleged unlawful interference with the bank.

OFFICER DIES OF INJURIES
WORCESTER, May 18.—James B. De Shazo, a member of the state police, stationed at the Worcester office, died last night at his home, 103 Anglin street, as the result of an assault alleged to have been committed by John O'Donnell when the latter appeared at the local office for an examination for a fireman's license three months ago.

DANBURY HATTERS' CASE

UNITED HATTERS OF NO. AMERICA
IN CONVENTION TO REPORT ON
QUESTION OF JUDGMENT

NEW YORK, May 18.—The special committee of the United Hatters of North America in convention here was preparing today its report on the question of meeting the judgment of approximately \$300,000 given to Loew & Co., hat manufacturers of Danbury, Conn., in a boycott action. The judgment was affirmed by the United States supreme court and Loew & Co. have served notice on officers of the hatters union that unless the union takes steps to satisfy the judgment it will proceed in foreclosure actions, against

the homes and bank accounts of the hatters which were attached when the suit was begun in 1908.

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THE SICKABED LADY

Have you ever heard of the medicinal qualities of shoemakers' wax? asked nurse. Long before the virtues of antihistamine and peroxide of hydrogen were extolled as healing and antiseptic agents, shoemakers' wax was relied upon in many an old-fashioned home. A bit of shoemakers' wax heated and applied over a bruise or abrasion will draw out any poison that may have entered the wound and prevent danger of that modern horror, infection and its dangerous result, blood poison.

Keep a bit of this old time safe-guard in the house, and if somebody steps inadvertently on a rusty carpet tack, or runs a can opener into the

fleshy part of the palm, wash out the wound and slip over it a bit of melted shoemakers' wax, binding a clean bandage over. Or, better still, cleanse the abrasion with peroxide, if you have it in the house—as everybody should have—and then apply the heated wax. Infection gets in its deadly work before the danger is realized in most cases, and by the time a neglected cut or bruise has begun to look angry and the doctor summoned, he may not be able to prevent a long and annoying case of blood poison, if not an actually dangerous condition.

Some very fine dishes for invalids are contributed by nurse today, all made from beef. Cut a pound best lean steak in small pieces, place in glass fruit jar, cover tightly and set in a pot of cold water; heat gradually to boil and continue this steadily three or four hours, until the meat is like white rags and the juice thoroughly extracted; season with very little salt, and strain through a wire strainer. Serve either warm or cold.

When beef tea is wanted for immediate use, place in a common pint yellowware bowl, add very little water, cover with saucer, and place in a moderate oven; if in danger of burning, add a little more water. To make beef tea more palatable for some patients, freeze it.

For beef tea to one pint of beef essence quite hot, add a teaspoon of the best cream, well heated, into which the yolk of a fresh egg has been previously stirred, mix carefully together, season slightly and serve.

Nurse thinks those in the country this summer should know that poisonous plants are distinctly marked by nature. Old settlers, trappers, Indians, and negroes, all familiar with the woods, will avoid berries that are as smooth as a glass bead all around. They know the roughness at the bloom end is a sure indication of non-poisonous qualities.

All fruits of this class, wild or cultivated, so marked, are wholesome. Huckleberries, whortleberries, cranberries and gooseberries, although not exactly in the same class, are still slightly rough at the bloom end, and in all varieties, perfectly wild, are safe to handle and to eat.

The deadly nightshade and seed berries of the poison ivy are as sleek and smooth on the bloom end as glass. These smooth sleek, wild berries all have poisonous properties. Nature never errs; her sign and symbol is upon them.

I received from nurse today some

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If your hair is anything short of perfect; if it is losing color, too dry, brittle, thin, or if the scalp burns and itches, you should immediately begin the use of Parisian Sage. The first application of this safe and always reliable tonic removes every trace of dandruff, cools and invigorates the scalp and beautifies the hair until it is gloriously radiant.

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Parisian Sage acts instantly—no application stops the head from itching and freshens up the hair. You will be surprised and delighted with this helpful toilet necessity, for nothing else is so good for the hair and scalp, and nothing so quickly beautifies the hair giving it that enviable charm and fascination. Parisian Sage is one of the quickest acting hair tonics known—inexpensive and easily used at home.

medical hints I think are worth nothing. Cure for nose-bleed. Take common white beans, roast until a good brown, then grind them fine and take as snuff. Brown some flour in the oven by a slow fire, and make a gravy of boiled milk with salt and sugar if desired, and it will cure bowel complaint either with children or adults, if no other food is eaten for a day or two.

Cure for rheumatism; five cents' worth of camphor dissolved in a pint of kerosene, apply to skin over the affected joints before retiring and rub well. To clear your voice when singing try a mixture of borax and water, or allow a small pinch of the former to melt in your mouth and swallow; this is said to be used by the best singers.

When the feet are sore or tired or burning up try taking a teaspoon of epsom salts, tablespoon of ammonia and a tablespoon of common salt, put into water enough to cover feet to ankles. Soak twenty minutes. Water must be lukewarm or cool not cold.

Nurse has asked me to tell you how to cook cranberries. As they are brought from the market, is to meet a keen disappointment in a delicate berry which many persons do not enjoy because its wild flavor is unpleasant to the taste.

Clean the berries, place them in a pan with sufficient water to cover them, and add a half teaspoon of soda. Boil the berries in the soda water until you hear them bursting. Drain the water from them, it will be found a greenish black, rinse them in cold water, then cook with sugar. It removes the "tang" and less sugar is needed to sweeten them if cooked in this way.

The same method can be used successfully in cooking soup beans, from which the greenish water removes a poisonous substance, makes the bean clean and white when cooked, and they cook in less time, too.

A mustard poultice is good, says nurse, used for a counter irritant in case of a pain in the chest, backache, etc. Into one gill of boiling water stir one tablespoon of dry mustard. Equal parts of mustard and flour made into a paste and spread between two pieces of muslin make a mustard plaster.

The proper way to make a mustard plaster so that it will not blister the patient is to use the white of an egg to mix with the mustard instead of water. Another way is to rub the part to be plastered with vasoline and a coating left on the skin.

"TAKING THE CENSUS"

Delightful one Act Comedy To Be Presented in Associate Hall Tomorrow Evening

The final rehearsal of the cast to participate in the one act comedy, "Taking the Census in Blingville," which will be given at Associate hall tomorrow evening, was held last night and it went off like clockwork. The success of the rehearsal indicates a great performance. All members were present, and each gave his or her part in a very efficient manner. The comedy roles are in the hands of clever thespians, and in fact all parts are in charge of capable performers. The piece opens with a lively town meeting and just when all are getting excited over an important issue the census man rushes in and takes charge of the situation. From then until the final curtain it is one continuous round of enjoyment, and all who attend are promised one of the most entertaining evenings of the season. The affair is in charge of the Tabernacle society of St. Columba's church, and from the large number of tickets already disposed of a record crowd is assured.

NINTH REGT. M. V. M.

Non-Commissioned Officers Elected Officers For the ensuing Year Yesterday

The members of the Non-Commissioned Officers society of the Ninth Regiment, M. V. M., met in Boston yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year, with the following results: Regimental Sergeant Major John E. Leydon, Boston, president; Sergt. Geary, Company G, Worcester, vice president; Sergt. Collins, Co. E, Boston, secretary-treasurer; Sergt. Erickson, Co. M, Lowell; Sergt. Driscoll, Co. H, Sergt. Friedberg, Co. A, Boston, auditing committee; Sergts. Walsh, Saunders, Fitzgerald and Hayes, executive committee.

It was announced that the regiment will perform its annual tour of duty July 18 at Peter's pond, and on June 12 the regiment will go to Worcester for the annual field day. Col. Edward Logan addressed the gathering and it was voted to hold another meeting on June 27.

TO COMPLETE THE CENSUS

Alexis F. Fecteau Wants Residents Who Have Been Missed to Send in Their Names

Alexis F. Fecteau, local director of the census enumeration, wants it known that all residents of Lowell who have missed being listed on the census enumeration, which is just being completed, are to go to their names and addresses to the census office, 24 Mt. Vernon street, Boston. The work in Lowell is now nearly completed and Mr. Fecteau is anxious to clean up the work as speedily as possible. If you send in your name to the census office on this appeal, he is sure to put your street address and the name of the city or town on the letter.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Facts—
That Mean Much
When Your Health Is Concerned

Your physician when called to the sick room prescribes medicines that his experience has taught him best contend with the case he has to treat—medicines that he has learned to rely upon.

Very often he finds instances where a reliable quick-acting tonic stimulant is necessary. This condition the unprejudiced physician, who knows, unhesitatingly meets by prescribing

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

for he understands the purpose of this great stimulant—that it is purely and simply a medicinal whiskey, the one true medicinal whiskey, made exclusively for use in the hospital and home, in cases of emergency and for the sick room.

The physician who is acquainted with his subject knows there are two harmful elements, fusel oil and tannin, in the ordinary commercial or beverage whiskey. While these may not affect the strong, robust person, whiskeys containing an excess of these elements should never be administered to the delicate, aged, or those in need of a pure stimulant, if due regard is given to the digestive process and central nervous forces.

The United States Pharmacopoeia (the Government authority on medicines and their proper preparation) long ago saw the necessity of eliminating as far as possible fusel oil and tannin from whiskey to be used for medicinal purposes. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has always been made for medicinal use only, and contains the least possible amount, less even than the Government standard.

The accompanying charts show the average amount of fusel oil and tannin found in the usual beverage whiskey. Then you'll note the far smaller amount shown in the U. S. Standard for medicinal whiskey.

In the next it is shown that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

contains even less than mentioned in the U. S. Standard. This chemical analysis proves that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is unlike any other.

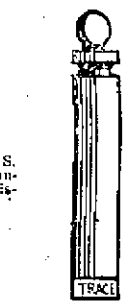
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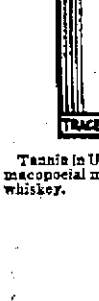
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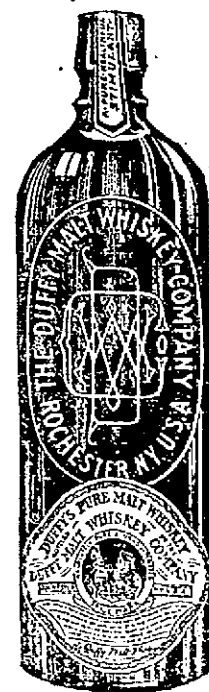
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Tannin in Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.



Facsimile of bottle greatly reduced.

Aside from the fact that the superiority of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is due to its freedom from the injurious elements already mentioned, it possesses another invaluable distinction. It is made entirely from malted grains, the very best grains obtainable, and as diseased or rotten grains cannot be malted, it will readily be seen this is an asset easily estimated.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey taken as directed before meals and on retiring has proven an excellent remedy for indigestion and sleeplessness.

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WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

MAKING GIFTS IN SUMMER

"I have so much to do this summer," complained Marjorie, "that I am afraid I shall have no time to work on gifts as I have always done every year."

"Why not?" asked Marie. "It is not necessary to do needlework every moment to accomplish a lot as it is a task, or pleasure, that can be done at odd moments. Take a breathing space between doing the dishes and making the beds, and pick up the bit of work

in the bag and take perhaps not more than a half dozen stitches."

"You'd be surprised how making a single eyelet now and then at odd moments will soon complete quite a large centerpiece, and pretty things of ribbon work up even more quickly. You can make the prettiest flower work imaginable which I saw not long ago, and it took only a week of the smallest kind of breathing spaces and the maker didn't even rush nor work overtime."

"True, one article a week isn't much, but when you make a practice of continually keeping at it, one gift a week amounts to at least fifty a year, sometimes a little more and sometimes a little less, according to their size and elaborateness."

The bag was one of those simple, round, puffy little affairs, with a circular disk of silk-covered cardboard forming the bottom, and the straight, hemmed piece of silk which forms the bag is shirred around it. The hem and casing for the draw ribbon are, of course, made in one. The deep hem simply has two rows of stitching running along it about a half inch of three-quarters of an inch apart.

"Sometimes an inch-wide casing is used. This stitches the hem and the second row forms the casing. The bag may be in either pink or deep yellow silk. Any color, of course, may be used."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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Taken internally on sugar or in sweetened water it can be relied upon in cases of coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, 25 and 50 cents at dealers.

PARSONS' PILLS relieve Constipation and Headache

PLANT RESUMES FULL TIME

Bennington, Vt., Machinery Firm, Hit By War Conditions Nearly Year Ago, Has Big Order

BENNINGTON, Vt., May 18.—The Charles Cooper estate, manufacturers of knit underwear, machinery and needles, opened yesterday morning with a full force on full time for the first time in nearly a year.

An order just received is expected to keep the shop running all summer.

About a year ago the company built for a German company a number of machines which it has been unable to ship. Inability to realize on these

machines and the general depression compelled the company to run on a 40-hour schedule for several months and in March it laid off about half of its machinists.

WILL GIVE BIRD TALK
Secretary Townsend of the Audubon society of New Hampshire for the Protection of Native Birds will give a talk before the Lowell Fish and Game association on game, song, and "ornamental" birds, on the evening of June 1.

STILL ALARM
Hose 7 responded to a still alarm at 7:14 o'clock last evening for a chimney fire in a building at 313 Lawrence street. The property is owned by M. H. Murphy. Slight damage.

For Indigestion and Biliousness

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\$17.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$11.67
\$16.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$13.00
\$23.75 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$15.85
\$27.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$18.33
\$41.50 Solid Oak Bureau.....	\$27.33
\$25.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$16.67
\$30.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$20.00
\$35.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$23.33
\$42.50 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$28.33
\$55.00 Mahogany Bureau.....	\$36.67
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\$45.00 Bird's Eye Maple Bureau.....	\$30.00
\$29.50 Bird's Eye Maple Bureau.....	\$19.50
\$27.50 Bird's Eye Maple Bureau.....	\$18.33
\$62.50 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$41.72
\$50.00 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$33.33
\$42.50 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$28.34
\$35.00 Circassian Walnut Bureau.....	\$23.33

Chiffoniers to match about all the above dressers. Wood Beds to match some of the higher priced ones. As you will note, an even third is deducted off every article as it is on all the rest of this big bankrupt stock, whether furniture, floor coverings or ranges.

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HURD STREET

MEN'S RETREAT

Great Crowds Nightly at St. Peter's - Sermon by Fr. Fallon, O. M. I.

The second night of the men's mission at St. Peter's church drew an immense crowd last evening, the main church being crowded to the doors a half hour before the services opened, necessitating the opening of the lower chapel, which rapidly filled up. Rev. Fr. Fallon, O. M. I. led in the recitation of the rosary in the upper church, and Fr. McRory, O. M. I. preached an eloquent and impressive sermon on the first commandment. In the lower chapel Rev. Fr. Fallon, O. M. I. recited the rosary and gave a short instruction on the necessity of prayer, urging a close attention to this very important matter in the daily lives of the men. "Too often," he said, "the prayers are omitted almost daily, and hence he admonishes the men to be careful in the future. "Mortal Sin" was the theme of a forceful sermon delivered by Rev. Fr. Fallon, O. M. I. and the reverend gentleman made a profound impression. He drew a telling word picture of sin in all its enormity and heinousness in the sight of God, warning his hearers that if they went along the loose road of sin, without any thought of its wickedness or its violation of God's holy law, that just as surely these souls would be destined to languish with the damned for all eternity. The attainment of heaven and its attendant blessings is a worthy incentive to strive for, and hence the reverend gentleman exhorted the men to shun the occasions of sin and lead upright and holy lives. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament closed the services in both churches. The attendance at the 5 o'clock mass this morning was even greater than yesterday morning and after mass Rev. Fr. McRory, O. M. I. gave a most instructive discourse on the second commandment.

AUTOS COMMANDEERED

ROME, May 18.—The automobiles of every member of the cabinet, with the exception of Premier Salandra, were commandeered today by the army authorities.

OBLETE BROTHER DEAD

BROTHER FORTIN PASSED AWAY AT ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL THIS MORNING

Brother Narcisse Fortin, O. M. I., of the Oblate Novitiate, passed away this morning at St. John's hospital, after a brief illness. Deceased had for many years been a member of the community in Tewksbury and was well known in Lowell. He was born in the diocese of Quebec in 1834. At the age of 24 he made his perpetual oblation as an Oblate of Mary Immaculate and his 40 years spent as a member of the order were years of unswerving attention to duty and devotion to the practices of his religious vocation. Brother Fortin served the Oblate order in his capacity as a lay brother in several of the houses of that order in this country, notably in Buffalo, Plattsburg and Tewksbury. At all times and places his exemplary life was a source of great edification to his brother Oblates and of great consolation to his superiors. He was of a quiet and retiring disposition so that he may be said to have combined all those qualities so desired in a religious. He continued to perform his duties up to within the last few weeks and his calm, peaceful death seemed but a passage from the toil and labor of this life to the reward of a well earned and merited rest in the bosom of the Lord. On Wednesday evening the Office of the Dead will be chanted in the chapel of the novitiate and the funeral will take place from there Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

BARNES-ROOSEVELT CASE

Continued
petent evidence for the jury to consider and he was allowed to continue. "You said an eleven thousand dollar interest was retained by you in the McCarthy contract," questioned Mr. Bowers. "Was that ever paid?" "Yes I think so, early in 1909." "Did you see Mr. Davis (state attorney general before or after the printing bids were opened?" "It must have been after." Mr. Barnes identified a letter dated in 1909 which he wrote to Thomas C. Platt. "In that letter you say you were in

all daily conference with Mr. Davies. Is that true?" "Almost daily, I guess that's right." "I call your attention, Mr. Barnes, to the record of bids made to the printing board at the time of the McCarthy bid. Do you figures there refresh your memory?" "I do not know anything about those figures. I testified to that yesterday." Mr. Bowers offered the record and Mr. Davis objected. Mr. Bowers then asked Mr. Barnes whether he knew there were seven bidders for the contract. Mr. Barnes said he did not. The witness admitted he knew there were other bidders for the printing contract besides Mr. McCarthy and the Lyon company, but said he was surprised that the difference between the Lyon and the McCarthy bids was \$100,000. Mr. Lyon had asked the witness to see Mr. Davies, a member of the printing board. It was after the contract had been awarded that Mr. McCarthy went to the witness and asked him to buy it. Mr. Barnes testified. The witness did not remember if there was any agreement on the price. "Did you transfer the contract direct to James B. Lyon?" "Yes." "Now was the agreement you made with Mr. Lyon couched in practically the same language that appears in the minute book?" "It must have been." "When did you receive your pay?" "I have told you I transferred the \$20,000 to the Journal company. When I received the \$11,000 from Mr. Lyon that completed the transaction." "Now, there was nothing you had done to justify Mr. Lyon paying you a salary?" "No, of course not." "When did you cease advocating the awarding of contracts to the Lyon company?" Mr. Lyon objected. "Did you tell Mr. Davies you wanted the contract awarded to some person or corporation in Albany that had a printing establishment rather than to Mr. McCarthy, who had no adequate plant in which to do the work?" "I did." "You said yesterday you told Mr. Davies you hoped Lyon would get the contract?" "I said all those things." Mr. Bowers re-introduced letters that passed between Barnes and Gov. Roosevelt. These letters were placed in the record during the early days of the trial and were later stricken out along with other evidence about printing offered in justification.

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BIG FLEET OF WARSHIPS PROTEST AGAINST WAR

FIVE-MILE LINE REVIEWED BY PRES. WILSON AS IT PASSED THE MAYFLOWER
NEW YORK, May 18.—The big fleet of warships which has been at anchor in the Hudson river for ten days, steamed out to sea at 11 o'clock this morning with President Wilson reviewing the five-mile line as it passed the Mayflower at the statue of liberty. Headed by the super-dreadnaught Wyoming, Admiral Fletcher's flagship, the 18 big battleships and their train of lesser fighting craft steamed past the presidential yacht at the statue of liberty at 11 o'clock. Each craft bearing the Mayflower fired a presidential salute of 21 guns. Tens of thousands of persons flocked to vantage points to view the great marine procession. Traffic on the Hudson river was suspended between the Manhattan and New Jersey shores half an hour before the fleet sailed. The day was overcast, but through the clouds the sun shone at intervals. The air was chill and a stiff breeze along the waterfront made overcoats comfortable. Close by the Mayflower lay the Dolphin, the Isis and the Yankton with government officials, members of the citizens committee, newspapermen and invited guests aboard. Swinging at anchor, the little reviewing squadron tossed out questions to the fleet and bunting that danced against the gleaming water about the shadow of the goddess of liberty, in colorful contrast to the monotony of grey steaming past. There was little cheering in response for in bidding good-bye to the fleet the crowds seemed to be in thoughtful mood, leaving New York the fleet made for Newport, the rendezvous from which will be directed maneuvers in the war game along the Atlantic coast. The president and most of his party had arranged to return to Washington aboard the Mayflower.

FESTIVAL OF NATIONS

INTERESTING PRODUCTION TO BE PRESENTED AT ASSOCIATE HALL THIS EVENING
One of the most interesting and unique features of the V. W. C. A. gymnasium work this year will be the exhibition of national and folk dancing in costume, to be given in Associate hall this evening, at 8.15 o'clock. The program is one of interest throughout. Each class in the gymnasium has a part. The program is as follows: "How Do You Do?" an American folk dance; Dutch "Windmill" dance; "Sailor's Song"; Japanese; Irish jig; modern Irish; Valva Vadmal, Swedish waltz; Russian; "Tanka Doodle" polka; "Morris's Musical"; Gaelic; "Celtic"; Italian; Danish "Sailing" dance. The program is under the direction of Miss Washburn, physical director.

MEMORIAL DAY SPORTS

GOOD PROGRAM PREPARED FOR THE ALKEN STREET PLAYGROUND
Through the courtesy of Agent Everett H. Walker of the Lawrence Mfg. Co. the Alken street playgrounds has been secured by a committee of residents of the district for outdoor sports which will be carried out on the morning of Memorial day. The affair will be carried out in the forenoon and the program will consist of a long list of sporting events such as races of all descriptions for the young folks and adults. A feature of the program will be a greased pig race. This will consist of a pig weighing about 100 pounds, which will be well greased and set loose on the grounds. The race will be free for all and the lucky party who will catch the pig and hold it will become its owner. The A. G. Cadets Brass band will be in attendance and render concert numbers. The event will be free for everybody and will be carried out between the hours of 9 and 12.30. The committee in charge consists of Rep. Henry Aclis, Joseph Albert, Fred Rocherville, Charles Lirette, Zoel St. Rilaire M. Tessier and others.

C. M. A. C. ANNUAL COMMUNION

The annual communion of the members of the C. M. A. C. will take place on Sunday, June 20. The members will march from the hall in Park street to St. Joseph's church, where they will attend the 7.30 o'clock mass in a body. The sermon will be delivered by the chaplain of the society, Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O. M. I. At the close of the mass the members will repair to their hall, where breakfast will be served. In the afternoon special services will be conducted for them at St. Joseph's church.

PERSONALS

William G. Swift, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Swift of 31 West Tenth street, Saturday observed the 21st anniversary of his birth. William E. Hall, treasurer of the Shaw Stocking company, has been chosen a director of the recent convention of the National Association of Hosiery and Underwear Manufacturers of Philadelphia. Miss Ruth Corliss Lagasse of Lowell has won first honors for the senior class at Pinkerton academy. Miss Lagasse was a student at the Lowell high school one year and then went to Pinkerton academy. Charley Chaplin, the famous "movie" comedian, will perform in The Sun daily. A few years ago a woman, could hardly go through the streets of Buenos Aires without running the risk of being insulted, and it was thought improper for girls to hold clerical positions or to act as typewriters, stenographers or clerks. Today many of the best business establishments in Buenos Aires employ women in all of these positions.

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First Baptist church of this city.
JENNINGS—Mrs. Abigail Jennings died yesterday at the Old Ladies home, aged 90 years.
McCARTNEY—Franklin T. McCartney died at his home, 135 Andover street, this morning, aged 39 years. He is survived by his wife, Mary McCullough McCartney; two sons, Frank H. and Joseph J., and two daughters, Misses Jessie and Jessie. Funeral services will be held at the home of the deceased, 135 Andover street, on Thursday, May 20, at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

COFFIN—The funeral of Louise Coffin was held yesterday afternoon from the home of Undertaker George M. Eastman in Bridge street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.
MARCOTTE—The funeral of Henry Marcotte was held yesterday afternoon from the home of Undertaker George M. Eastman in Bridge street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

MATRIMONIAL

Victor Lefay and Miss Anna G. Owens were married at St. Patrick's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. James J. Kerrigan. The bride was Miss Lillian Dow and the best man, Rene Deziel. The happy couple will make their home at 25 Camp street.

GAGNON-CARON

A pretty marriage took place this morning at St. Joseph's church, when Arthur Gagnon and Miss Alice Caron were united in the bonds of matrimony. The ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at 7 o'clock by Rev. Armand Caron, O. M. I. The bride wore white crepe de chine and carried lilies of the valley. She was attended by her father, Louis Caron, while the bridegroom's witness was his father, Francois Gagnon. At the close of the ceremony the bride party repaired to the home of the bride's parents, 9 Pawtucket street, where a wedding dinner was served. The happy couple left on the 12 o'clock train for Holyoke where they will spend their honeymoon. They will return to this city Tuesday and will make their home at 226 Fletcher street.

COURT ST. ANTOINE, C. O. F.

The members of Court St. Antoine and St. Paul, C. O. F., will hold their annual communion next Sunday at the 7.30 o'clock mass to be celebrated at St. Joseph's church. The members will gather at the C. M. A. C. hall at 6.30 o'clock and there form in line to march to the church. The mass will be celebrated by the chaplain of Court St. Paul, while the sermon will be delivered by the chaplain of Court St. Antoine.

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20 Stamps with 3 Pkgs. A&P Cornstarch, each..... 7c	1 bot. A. & P. Ammonia..... 10c
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25 Stamps with One Jar Peanut Butter..... 25c	1 bot. Mustard Relish..... 10c
15 Stamps with One Jar Peanut Butter..... 15c	1 pk. Elbow Macaroni..... 10c
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25 Suits in Blue Serge, Covert and Donegal Tweeds, regular \$15.00 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$7.98**

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\$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30.00 Suits. Anniversary Sale Price **\$18.50**

Lot of Coats, black and white checks, several styles, \$5.00 and \$6.00 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$2.98**

Coats in Covert, Mixtures and Serges, \$7.98 and \$8.98 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$5.00**

Big Lot of Coats in Covert Serges and Basket Weaves, many lined throughout, value up to \$12.50. Anniversary Sale Price **\$7.98**

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Lot of Odd Dresses in serges, were up to \$5.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

Lot of Odd Dresses, silks and French Serges, \$7.98 to \$12.50 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

Lot of Silk Dresses, messaline, crepe de chine and poplin, up to \$12.50 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$7.98**

SKIRTS

All Wool Black and Blue Serge and Black and White Check Skirts, \$1.98 and \$2.98 value. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.50**

\$5.00 and \$5.98 Skirts in Serge and Poplin, including extra large belt measure up to 36". Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

Anniversary Sale of MILLINERY

40 Dozen Genuine Panamas, value \$2.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

10 Dozen Colored Hats, good shapes, value \$1.50. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

50 Trimmed Hats, value \$2.50 to \$4.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

50 Children's Trimmed Hats, value \$1.50 to \$3.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

Large Black and White Shapes, value \$2.50 to \$5.00. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

50 Trimmed Hats, value \$5.00 to \$8.50. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

50 Ostrich Plumes, value \$3.00. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.79**

Our entire stock of better quality Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats reduced 1-3 off their former values.

Anniversary Sale MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Colored Dresses, in gingham and chambray, all the newest summer styles, sizes 2 to 6 years, regular price 59c. Anniversary Sale Price **49c**

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 2 to 5 years, regular price 49c. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 10 and 12 years, regular price \$1.49. Anniversary Sale Price **49c**

Women's Petticoats in black and colors, regular price 49c. Anniversary Sale Price **29c**

Women's House Dresses, in all sizes, regular price 69c. Anniversary Sale Price **35c**

Children's Summer Coats, all sizes, regular price \$3.98 and \$4.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

Children's Rain Capes, sizes 6 to 14 years, colors blue and red, regular price \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.00**

SUMMER WAISTS

Lingerie and Semi-Tailored Waists, long and short sleeves with rolling collars, made of voile with embroidered fronts, others of fine madras, good values, worth 79c. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Crepe, Voile and Muslin Waists, made of striped crepes with organdie collar and cuffs, very neat. Others in all white fancy crepes and voile, long and short sleeves with new convertible collars. Worth \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Silk Waists, of good quality Jap. Silks, in all white all over embroideries. Others in plain silk, black and white, Chin Chin silk in assorted colored stripes, very stylish, worth \$1.50. Anniversary Sale Price **88c**

Lingerie Waists, made from the latest models in all the newest materials, very smart and of excellent value, worth \$1.98. Anniversary Sale Price **98c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF NECKWEAR

Lace Collars, all boned, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Swiss Embroidered Collars, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Muslin Cuff and Collar Sets, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Shaded Silk Ties, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF RIBBONS

Moire and Plain Silk Ribbons, four inches wide, regular price 15c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **10c**

Silk and Satin Ribbons, five and six inches wide, regular price 19c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **12½c**

Dresden and Plaid Ribbons, regular price 25c yard. Anniversary Sale Price **19c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck sleeveless, 12½c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **6½c**

Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless with lace bottom or cuff knee, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Women's Lisle Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 50c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Misses' Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Boys' Union Suits, low neck, short sleeves, cuff knee, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WASH GOODS

Yard Wide Percale, regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Yard Wide Manchester Percales, regular price 12 1-2c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Apron and Dress Gingham, regular price 8c. Anniversary Sale Price **6c**

Yard Wide Fancy Crepe and Voiles, short ends, regular price 25c and 39c. Anniversary Sale Price **12½c**

Madras, suitable for shirts and waists, regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

Muslins and Dimities, regular price 12½c. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

Fancy Pongee in all shades, regular price 12 1-2c. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SILKS

36 Inch Silk Faille Poplins in all the new shades, value 89c. Anniversary Sale Price **69c**

40 Inch All Silk Poplins, in all the new shades, regular price \$1.25. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

24 Inch Fancy Brocade Poplins, evening shades and dark, regular price 89c. Anniversary Sale Price **59c**

36 Inch Black Taffeta Silk, regular price \$1.19. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

36 Inch Black Messaline, value \$1.10. Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Women's Black Lisle Hose, double heel and toe, double garter top, regular 19c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **2 PAIRS FOR 25c**

Women's Cotton Hose, black only, double soles, high spliced heels, double garter tops. A regular 15c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **9c**

Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1-1 rib, double knees, heels and toes, a 12½c quality, broken lots. Anniversary Sale Price **4 PAIRS 25c**

Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors, high spliced heels, double soles, very sheer quality, value 19c pair. Anniversary Sale Price **2 PAIRS 25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WOMEN'S GLOVES

2-Clasp Kid Gloves, Paris point embroidery in tan, gray, white and black, broken lots. A regular \$1.00 quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **63c**

Women's 16-Button Length, Silk Gloves, in black, white, pink, blue, double finger tips, regular \$1.00 quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **55c**

2-Clasp Silk Gloves in white only, double finger tips, 50c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

Women's Fine Chamois Suede Gloves, 2-clasp, white only, washable, 39c quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **19c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF BAGS

Women's Black Leather Hand Bags, fitted with purse and mirror, strap or ribbon handles in an assortment of styles, regular price 79c. Anniversary Sale Price **47c**

Women's Leather Hand Bags, made of real leather, some with leather and silk linings, large and medium sizes and fitted with purse and mirror in tan, black and navy. Values up to \$2.00. Anniversary Sale Price **79c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF TOILET GOODS

Peroxide of Hydrogen, one pound bottles, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **11c**

One Pound Boxes of Talcum Powder in violet, trailing arabus and coryopsis, regular price 15c. Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

Good-Sense Tooth Brushes, seconds of the Prophy-lac-tic, imperfections slight, regularly sold for 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Shell and Amber Hair Pins in straight and crimped, regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF BELTS

Women's Silk Girdles or Suede Leather Belts in navy, copenhagen, green, cerise, brown, purple, light blue, pink and yellow; broken sizes, regular price 50c and \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **23c**

One Lot of Velvet, Suede, Elastic and Silk Girdles, values up to \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE IN OUR RUG and DRAPERY DEPT.

50c Nottingham Lace Curtains. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

49c Dutch Curtains, ready to hang. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **29c**

59c Velvet Door Mats, Anniversary Sale Price, Each **35c**

\$8 White Enamel Beds, brass trimmed. Anniversary Sale Price **\$4.95**

\$13.50 All Brass Beds, double top rails. Anniversary Sale Price **\$9.95**

\$2.50 Soft Top Mattresses, good ticking. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.98**

\$3.00 Guaranteed National Bed Springs. Anniversary Sale Price **\$1.79**

\$6.00 Drop Side Couches with mattresses and bolsters. Anniversary Sale Price **\$3.98**

35c Floor Oilcloths, extra heavy quality. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **25c**

75c Genuine Cork Linoleums, beautiful patterns. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **49c**

25c Marquette, cream and Arabian. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **12½c**

\$25.00 Axminster Rugs, 9x12, perfect, beautiful colorings. Anniversary Sale Price **\$18.50**

\$13.50 Tapestry Rugs, 9x12. Special values. Anniversary Sale Price **\$9.95**

\$15.00 Hawkes Best All Silk Floss Mattresses. Anniversary Sale Price **\$10.95**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF DRESS GOODS

54 Inch Black and White Check, value 69c. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **49c**

54 Inch Imperial Crepe Suiting, sold up to date 89c. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **75c**

56 Inch Wool Black and White Shepherd Check, regular \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **79c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Women's Drawers with hemstitched ruffle; regular price 15c pair. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **10c**

Drawers of good cambric with ruffle of embroidery; regular price 25c pair. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **19c**

Corset Covers of good quality nainsook, with yoke front and back of embroidery or lace and ribbon drawn; regular price 39c. Anniversary Sale Price, Pair **25c**

Corset Covers, handsomely trimmed with lace or embroidery; others made of all over embroidery; regular price 50c. Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Women's Night Robes, chemise style, edged with narrow embroidery and ribbon run; regular price 39c. Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Night Robes with yoke of tucks and two rows of insertion, V neck and long sleeves; regular and outsizes; regular price 69c. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Long White Skirts with cluster of tucks, ruffle of embroidery and underlay; regular price 75c. Anniversary Sale Price **50c**

Long White Skirts with 18 inch flounce of Swiss embroidery, with or without underlay; regular price \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price **69c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

1 Lot of 27 Inch Dainty Swiss Embroidery, suitable for children's dresses; regular price 59c yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **25c**

45 Inch Voile Flouncing, embroidered, 27 inches, in large floral designs; regular price \$1.00 yard. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **50c**

Fine Batiste Allover Embroidery, in small eyelet pattern; regular price \$1.00. Anniversary Sale Price, Yard **59c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SHEETS and PILLOW SLIPS

Fruit of the Loom Remnants, in 1 to 10 yard pieces. Anniversary Sale Price **8c**

75 Dozen Pillow Slips, 42x36, never sold for less than 15c each. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **12½c**

50 Dozen Pillow Slips, 42x36, all perfect goods; regular price 10c each. Anniversary Sale Price **3 FOR 25c**

60 Dozen Sheets, 72x90, regular value 49c. Anniversary Sale Price, 3 FOR **\$1.00**

TOWELS

29c Huck Towels, plain and hemstitched finish. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **17c**

Turkish Hand Towels, extra fine and heavy. Anniversary Sale Price **3 FOR 25c**

25c Turkish Towels, full size and weight. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **17c**

TOWELING

6 1-4c Bleached Twill Cotton Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

15c All Linen Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **12½c**

Huck Remnants, 12 1-2c and 15c quality. Anniversary Sale Price **8c AND 10c**

8c Bleached Cotton Crash. Anniversary Sale Price **5c**

79c Scarfs and Squares, all linen centres, heavy torchee edge. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **50c**

An odd lot of Scarfs and Squares; regular 39c and 50c values. Anniversary Sale Price, Each **25c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF NOTIONS

Sewing Silk, 100 yards, all colors; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

Hooks and Eyes, with Peets; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

John J. Clark's Spool Cotton; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

Basting Cotton, 500 yard spools; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

Pins, regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

White Tape, 10 yard pieces; regular price 10c. Anniversary Sale Price **7c**

Black and White Headed Pins; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **2c**

Collar Supporters; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **3c**

Pearl Buttons; regular price 5c. Anniversary Sale Price **4c**

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THE GERMAN REPLY

The opinion is growing in this country that the reply of the German government to the recent note of President Wilson will be conciliatory in tone. As yet no German official has given any intimation of the probable attitude of the German government, but there are many indications of a growing spirit of conciliation. At first, some of the more extreme German propagandists in this country hinted that there would be no compromise, but such is not the expectation of American public opinion.

While, at the present time, one guess is as good as another, it is most significant that with the determination of Dr. Dernburg to abandon his publicity agitations in this country comes a new attitude into that part of the press representing the more extreme German views. The last note of the German government promising a modification to the submarine war, as regards its effect on neutrals, promises a ground for agreement. There is no expectation that the American government will recede in the least from the position taken in the note, but while the absolute surrender of the German government may not be immediate, it will be advised by those who control the German policies, in all probability, rather than the return to any stand that would antagonize America still further.

It is scarcely to be expected that Germany will entirely withdraw its submarine campaign against merchant ships without an attempt at compromise, and on this point there are precedents, indicating the part to be taken by the principals. Germany will probably agree to confine its submarine attacks to war vessels, provided England modifies its blockade of German ports, permitting food to pass to the civilian population of Germany. This government may act in a friendly mediation to secure such a compromise between England and Germany, but the refusal of England to abandon a form of blockade fully justified by international law will not be taken to justify further German attacks on the persons and properties of neutrals. Pending the settlement of mooted points, the submarine activity may be withdrawn or materially reduced.

Until now, Germany has shown but little disposition to care for or cater to the opinion of the neutral world, but the effect of its further disregard must be apparent. It is one thing to ignore diplomatic representations that do not portend serious consequences, but the recent American note is of an entirely different character. Even more significant than the firmness of the note is the solidity of American loyalty to the administration, a fact that Germany cannot regard as other than a great factor in deciding on its future policy.

Until the sinking of the Lusitania, the American people, despite the opinions of individuals were neutral, and there was a disposition to look at both sides of the case, whenever there was a matter of contention between the belligerents. The Lusitania affair changed this attitude into one of national protest against Germany, and it must be apparent to those abroad and in this country who work for German success that a disregard of our firm and reasonable requests would kill Germany's chances of ever getting back into the favorable opinion of any but a slight American clique. Sanity, therefore must prevail, if Germany can hope to see this nation continue neutral, and a great deal will depend on the answer of the German government to the note of the American government.

A PITIFUL CONDITION

In our local police court and in all the police courts of this commonwealth, no sight is more common than that of the habitual drunkard, who is brought before the judge time after time, without a hope of regeneration. Sometimes it is a young man all of whose manliness is debased and whose will is paralyzed; again, it is not in middle age, possibly the father or mother of a large family, but it is saddest when the offender is an aged man or an aged woman who has none of the natural sanctity of age but whose unhappy life has been spent between the jail and the gutter. Almost every day reveals this condition and reveals the inadequacy of the present law to cope with it.

The average police court judge whose nature has not been hardened by his connection with the criminal side of humanity must be distressed at the sight of the habitual drunkard. The judge may have hopes of deterring the first, second or third offender, but what hope is there when the culprit has been up for sentence twenty, thirty or fifty times. All one can hope to do is to put them away from temptation for some reasonable time, realizing that while that the end of their sentence will see their return to their old habits and the prisoner's pen.

There is a timely need for some agency other than that of the police court for the regeneration of the habitual drunkard. If the men or women have gone so far that they cannot resist temptation, they should be regarded as incurable and kept somewhere in kindly keeping, away from the gratification of their passion for drink. Often prisoners in court ask for the prison sentence in order to get the crying out of their system, recognizing their powerlessness to fight a foe that has destroyed their power of resistance. Surely one in this condition cannot rightly be regarded as a criminal, and the law that would regard him as such is unjust.

The suggestion has been made from time to time that the state should erect an institution for the treatment of habitual inebriates, regarding their frailty as a disease rather than a crime. There is certainly need for such an institution, which would meet the demands of humanity without defeating the ends of justice.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION

It is very gratifying to find that there is but a negligible attempt at the present time to make political capital out of the business situation. Whether due to the uselessness of the attempt or the realization of our good fortune at being fairly prosperous at a time of such universal misery, certainly it is that the country is a unit in recognizing thinking and boosting general optimism. Even the ultra-conservative trade and financial journals vie with each other in the bright prospects which they draw for the immediate American future.

Not the least significant indication of prosperity was the recent crop re-

port of the United States government. Our department of agriculture declared that the prospects are better than they have been for the past ten years. This, coupled with the fact that the world demand will probably be far in excess of the usual, presages a condition of general prosperity that will be felt in every strata of American life. With this report come reports of larger railroad earnings, fewer idle freight cars, increased production in our large industries, heavy bank clearings and every other straw that indicates the way the wind is blowing. The industrial and financial world is so confident of the outlook that even such momentous things as the sinking of the Lusitania and the resultant agitation did not materially affect the markets. Prospects of peace would tend to make conditions still better, but even the prolongation of war will not now imperil our business situation.

A SUNDAY WALK

Away from the city they went on Sunday, two pedestrians who had become weary of the ominous bulletins, the glaring headlines, the atmosphere of unrest, the "white way" agitations and all the many things that tire the brain and fill the heart with sadness. Away they went—not very far—but far enough to find the heights "where God is winding His lonely horn." The memories of the things they found and re-found will help them tide over another week of the city with its "building and spilling and spilling and building again."

What did they find? Paths that led through lush grass, sprinkled with thousands upon thousands of violets, lappet trees in bloom, white and pink like brides, scarlet tangerines like living flames, rows of growing forms like hispid procreants, a sober ground-hare that dived into his cool home on the approach of intruders, brooks that trip the present time to make political capital out of the business situation. Whether due to the uselessness of the attempt or the realization of our good fortune at being fairly prosperous at a time of such universal misery, certainly it is that the country is a unit in recognizing thinking and boosting general optimism. Even the ultra-conservative trade and financial journals vie with each other in the bright prospects which they draw for the immediate American future.

One find merits special attention. Pedestrian number one went to a little hollow for three especially beautiful wood violets, when wh-r-r-r! two feet away rose a speckled pheasant with startling suddenness. There in

the hollow—place a secret—lay a nest with seventeen dusky eggs. Then back through the greenest green grass that ever grew, with a bunch of violets, surrounded with maiden-hair ferns, several Japanese-looking branches with foamy blossom clusters and memories of delights that are never found near Merrimack square.

ITALY

The Italian government is generally supposed to be striving for continued neutrality in the face of popular opinion—at least until the events of war are favorable for Italy's entry into the conflict. The war party, headed by Premier Salandra, has chafed under this continued procrastination of the king and his advisers and matters were brought to a head by the resignation of the Salandra cabinet. Had the resignation been accepted there would in all probability have been widespread popular disaffection and disturbance, but that has been averted by the refusal of the king to accept the resignation. Italy is now nearer war than at any time since last August and Austria and Germany seem to have abandoned all hope of protracting diplomatic negotiations further. It is, therefore, more than probable that Italy will be with the allies before many days—or, perhaps, hours. The temperamental Italian people have burned with the desire to wrest from Austria the provinces that Italy has long desired, and since peace will not give them the prize, they favor war. Italy will probably soon taste the excitement and the attendant miseries of the greatest struggle which the world has seen, but her entry into the war—unless it causes complications in the Balkan belt—will be a great stroke

for those opposed to the dual empire and Turkey. The war will serve to heal many domestic wounds in Italy and unite the Italian people in the struggle against an ancient enemy. It will hasten the end of the war as Austria will be obliged to withdraw her armies from the eastern front to prevent an Italian invasion.

A NEUTRAL CONGRESS

Entirely aside from the rights or wrongs of the present war, there is a movement in this country in favor of a great neutral conference of protest against the disregard of international law. Since the beginning of the struggle, human rights have been trampled on as never before, and the best interests of neutral nations—hitherto held sacred in all wars—have been trampled ruthlessly under foot. All neutral powers have protested, strongly or weakly as the case may be, but the answer to the protests was a reversion to larger crimes. As this nation is the greatest neutral nation, and, in fact, the only powerful neutral, many Americans favor the calling of a great international conference of neutrals to make common cause against warfare that infringes on neutral rights. Unfortunately there is little ground for hope that the resolutions or protests there formulated would be heeded, but the moral influence, nevertheless, might have some part in operating for the cessation of a war that will leave its blight upon the winners as well as the losers. One of the greatest arguments against the abandonment of neutrality by this country is that such a course would nullify our ministrations as peacemaker, should the blessed occasion arise in the near future.

IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

REMOVING MOTOR DUST

These are the days when the call of the motor is strongest on the city streets, and in the highways and byways of the country and it behooves every woman to take care of her automobile to give particular care to her wind swept, dust soaked face.

To the woman who motors much I advise her to give her skin the chamomile treatment. The skin is warmed with a hot towel and is then covered with hot cream, though cold cream may be used if convenient, or any good and cleansing skin food. This is spread upon the face and while moist is rubbed off with a prepared chamomile leather.

To prepare the leather take a strip about eight inches wide and eighteen inches long and wet it with warm water. Wring it out, and while it is still moist rub soap into it, using the best toilet variety. Rub the whole chamomile well with the soap until it is lathered, then hang it up to dry, when it will be soft and fine and ready for use upon the skin.

The way to polish the face with a

chamois leather closely resembles the polishing of the toe of a shoe. The chamomile leather is taken by its ends and seewaved across the face, using as much force as possible. By this vigorous exercise the skin is made fine, clean and soft.

A powerful factor in treating the complexion is the collar. If it is worn loose the face will be much clearer in tone than if it is worn tight. A tight collar will make the veins in the neck swell and will redden the nose. Sometimes the mere loosening of the collar will change a poor skin into a good one.

A remedy that is severe but effective in certain cases of dust-covered complexions consists of a cut lime squeezed into half a cupful of water. Half a teaspoonful of borax is added to this, and the whole is rubbed upon the face, only to be mopped off immediately with the softest of cold cream.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed at the city clerk's office since the last were published:

Antonio E. Ramallo, 8 Molloy's court, 22, operative; Maria Silva, 156 Charles, 18, operative.

Achille D. Ballas, 368 Market, 25, operative; Victoria D. Theodora, 355 Market, 25, operative.

Vasilios Iatrog, 156 Suffolk, 23, operative; Maria Geka, 172 Suffolk, 23, operative.

Peter Bishop, (widowed), 24 Pond, 37, lobbist; Maryetta F. Roberts, 24 Pond, 30, housework.

John S. Higgins, 45 Cross, 20, wire straightener; Ellen Theresa Kelly, 172 Grand, 17, looper.

William T. Neal, Jr., 305 Thorndike, 24, carder; Rose E. Lawton, 30 Mead, 19, window.

Andrius Bonilla, 163 Charles, 23, operative; Stefania Jurawiczka, 1 Corbett place, 20, operative.

Jan Jakubus, 25 Front, 22, weaver; Karolina Polchowski, 24 Stackpole, 23, weaver.

Arthur Lapointe, 37 Campana, 20, steamfitter; Blanche R. Cossette, 59 Sutherland, 27, mender.

Dana C. Bachelier, Raymond, N. H., 39, cook; Grace E. Rivers, (widowed), Hooksett, N. H., 41, housekeeper.

Charles Roy, 102 Cross, 42, painter; Elwina Larchelle, 155 Ludlum, 25, room girl.

James A. Steinberg, 110 Howard, 25, leather merchant; Elsie Chalfont, Webster, Mass., 22, at home.

Ray Naval, 449 Moody, 21, laborer; Delina Parent, 189 Hall, 19, operative; Michael Hegryzn, 10 Brookings, 25, laborer; Apolina Wiczek, 25 Anory, 20, operative.

George Lazaropoulos, 459 Market, 30, operative; Maria Linadake, 422 Suffolk, 25, operative.

Patrick Francis Higgins, 157 Cross, 28, fruit dealer; Catherine Bamford, 62 Main, 26, at home.

Francis Harnasak, 58 Davidson, 35, tanner; Karalina Maselukute, 35 Davidson, 24, operative.

Ray H. Harder, (widowed), 55 Riverside, 31, machinist helper; Edith Hayes, (widowed), 35 Riverside, 32, operative.

Mannet Perry, Cambridge, 25, auto assembler; Josephine Francis Flannery, 25 West Fourth, 29, clothes folder.

Erwin Strobel, 55 Read, 24, sausage maker; Helena Fairbank, 124 Lakeview ave., 18, looper.

John B. Freese, (widowed), Fall River, Mass., 57, carpenter; Josephine Imholz, (widowed), 59 Willie, 36, laundress.

Francis Dominic Hardine, Concord, N. H., 25, merchant; Louise Gibson, 85 Eleventh, 23, at home.

Joao E. da Silva, 59 Charles, 23, operative; Maria da Silva, 59 Molloy's court, 18, operative.

Jan Kurek, 122 Lakeview avenue, 1, laborer; Anna Jan, 12 W. Fourth, 15, weaver.

Harry Erickson, 15 Meade, 23, machinist; Alice E. Norton, 351 Chelmsford, 24, stenographer.

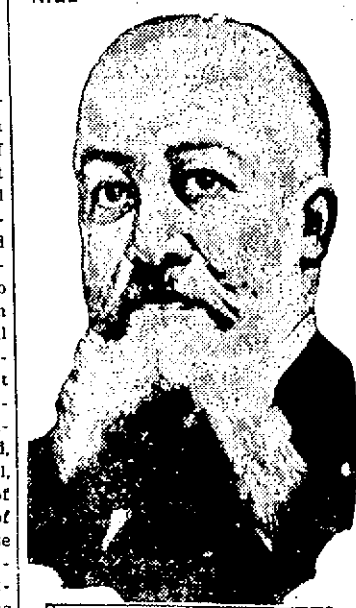
Henry A. Dozice, 13 Lombard, 25, machinist; Josephine P. Buckley, 47 Floyd, 24, at home.

John H. Merrill, Chelmsford, Grassmere, N. H., 42, hotel employee; Hattie E. Webber, Grassmere, N. H., 42, dressmaker.

One of the most interesting spectators at the Panama Exposition is a Colorado Encephalitic, the first Encephalitic born in the United States.

GERMAN NAVY CHIEF

REPORT THAT ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ HAD RESIGNED DENIED



ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ

BERLIN, May 18.—The story that Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, German navy chief and originator of the submarine warfare idea, has resigned because of the sinking of the Lusitania, is denied here. The story originally was given out in Copenhagen.

SHOT THROUGH THE HEART

LEBANON, N. H., May 18.—Samuel Speed committed suicide during the night by shooting himself through the heart with a shotgun. The body was discovered at 6 o'clock yesterday morning by his son-in-law, Hart Crandall, lying face down a short distance from the house in a path leading to a spring.

QUART OF WHISKY KILLS

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 18.—Dr. Maurice Watson, medical referee for Hillsboro county, was called to South Weare yesterday to investigate the death of Ruel Page.

An autolst took Page into his car Sunday and after giving him a ride is said to have given him a quart of whisky. The man is said to have entered a barn and drunk the contents of the bottle and to have fallen into a stupor, from which he never rallied.

COLD WAVE COMING

BOSTON, May 15.—The weather bureau last night announced that following yesterday's rain and drizzle a miniature cold wave was shaping its course for Boston and New England and that by tomorrow night frosts may be expected in the unprotected and inland lowlands.

Two women sculptors, Miss Janet Souder and Mary Evelyn H. Longman, of New York, are placed in the list of \$10,000 a year bread-winners.



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FLAG DAY MEETING

Nearly every patriotic organization of the city was represented at the meeting of the flag day committee held last evening in the mayor's reception room at city hall. It was reported by a sub-committee that the school

pupils were willing to assist in the work and help sell small flags. About 10,000 flags have been ordered and will reach here Thursday. The pupils and others will be stationed on all the downtown streets on Saturday, May 29, to sell the flags.



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RAIN HALTS SCHEDULE

Game at Fitchburg Cancelled—
Manager Barrows' Club a Big
Factor in Gate Receipts

"Well, boys, there's another game we lost today," said Manager Barrows yesterday morning when he learned that the Fitchburg management had called off the game. "We'd have beaten them if it hadn't been for the rain."

The rest of the club seemed to share Barrows' optimistic feeling and more pep and ginger were shown around the baseball office than upon any previous occasion this season. It begins to look as though the local team had found itself hit last and intended to get down to business and win ball games.



MANAGER BARROWS.

Tomorrow Lowell takes leave of us for a week. The local club will make its first trip of the season to Lewiston and Portland, and will be gone until Sunday. Wednesday and Thursday will be spent in arguments over a decision at Lewiston, while Friday and Saturday Hugo Duffy will send his flag chasers out against our boys.

If the club breaks even down in Maine we ought to be satisfied. Both the Lewiston and Portland grounds are built for the home clubs, the visiting aggregations not being wise to the vagaries of many a dip and dimple in the playing surface. So with the odds against 'em an even break will do.

Barrows a Big Factor
Manager Cuke Barrows is going to be a big factor in local baseball history this season. He has shown this to be true already.

During the past week a business man told me that he had not been to playing park in two years but that he was going to take a trip out there and take a look at Barrows. "They say he is a terrific hitter," he said. "That afternoon Barrows lifted the ball to a remote corner of the park for a homer, winning the game for Lowell in the ninth, and previous to this drove out two long rippers and single. The Lowell Baseball club made a disciple right there, and Barrows' stick has undoubtedly brought many another new face to the park."

Lawrence Hitting
That Lawrence team has started to hit. Perhaps, as somebody said, it will also start to lose. The down-river club went along with mighty few rattles for the first week or so yet it brought home the long end of the score sheet. In one contest Lawrence scored four runs without a hit.

But if Lawrence continues to hit and also keeps up its fielding and inside baseball maneuvers Joe Sullivan's boys will be hard to stop.

is rapidly recovering his former famous poise and has trotted out his uniform. The Worcester leader had a severe attack of pneumonia a few months ago and was not feeling very husky when the season opened. But look out for Burkett from now on.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Hosford's piloted by Walter Murray met defeat Saturday at the hands of the Indians, by the score of 10 to 9 in a loose game. Someone suggested that Murray use his new auto when he attempted to steal third in the sixth inning for he was caught off third by over two yards. Murray is willing to stack his hired men against any of the so-called champions and he avers his aggregation will be heard from before the season is over.

The Ewars defeated the strong North Chelmsford Juniors Saturday, by the score of 11 to 2. This makes three straight games without defeat. Saturday, May 22, the Ewars will christen their new suits by playing the Burnside Juniors for two quarter balls on the Wood street grounds.

The lucky nine of East Chelmsford defeated the Young Buckhorns by a score of 13 to 10 Saturday. We would like to arrange a game with the Chelmsford High.

The Indians defeated the Christmuses Saturday by the score of 4 to 0. The Indians are better ball players.

The Burnside Juniors defeated the West Ends Saturday, May 15, by the score of 11-5. The Burnside would like to arrange games with any 15-16 year old team in the city, the Emeralds, Athletics or Ironquods preferred. Send all challenges to J. Mann, 225 Walker street, city.

The Richmonds beat Meehan's Pels or Swampscott, 25 to 2, Saturday, on the South common. It was some game.

The Pawtucketville Blues defeated the Walker A. C. by the score 9 to 6. The lineup: Wholey, c; Lynch, p; Busance, 1b; St. Claire, ss; Casey, 2b; Cryan, 3b; Garlin, rf; Sramas, cf; Haloran, lf.

There will be a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock. Managers are requested to be present. There are two more teams needed.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England
All games postponed, rain.
American

At Cleveland: Boston-Cleveland, rain.
At Chicago: Chicago 5, Philadelphia 2.

At St. Louis: Washington 3, St. Louis 2.
At Detroit: New York-Detroit, cold.

National
At Boston: Pittsburgh-Boston, rain.
At New York: Chicago-New York, rain.

At Brooklyn: Cincinnati-Brooklyn, rain.
At Philadelphia: Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 3.

Federal
At Chicago: Chicago 5, Baltimore 5 (10 innings).
At Kansas City: Brooklyn 7, Kansas City 5.

At Pittsburgh: Newark-Pittsburgh, wet grounds.

Giants' Hopes Take Boost With
Return of Mathewson to Form

CHRISTY MATHEWSON

NEW YORK, May 15.—Everybody knows "Big Six" and everybody who knows him is his admirer and a loyal rooter for him individually regardless of team sympathy. In view of this fact the announcement that the great and only Christopher has at last arrived at his best form is fit, in other words—will be received with general acclamation. Matty got off to a bad start this season, so bad, in fact, that he lost his first four starts, and even his most ardent admirers admitted reluctantly, "it is true, that their favorite had started on the down grade at last; that he was going the route of all good pitchers; that he was passing, in fact. But Matty did not share their gloomy views. He admitted he was bad, but said that with the arrival of

real baseball weather his arm would humper up and he would be as good as he ever was. With the advent of baseball weather what Matty predicted came to pass. On his fifth start of the season he registered his first win of the season. That he will win many more is as sure as fate, and that he will again be the mainstay of the McGrawites is surer. If such could be possible.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League	Won	Lost	P.C.
Lawrence	10	8	.556
Manchester	7	7	.500
Portland	6	7	.462
Worcester	5	8	.385
Lowell	4	6	.400
Lynn	4	6	.400
Fitchburg	3	8	.269
Lewiston	4	8	.333

American League	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	16	8	.667
Detroit	15	11	.577
Boston	13	9	.591
Chicago	13	12	.520
Washington	12	14	.462
Cleveland	11	16	.407
Philadelphia	9	17	.346
St. Louis	10	19	.347

Federal League	Won	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburgh	18	11	.621
Newark	16	12	.571
Kenn at Lawrence	12	13	.480
Kansas City	15	12	.556
Brooklyn	15	13	.538
St. Louis	12	11	.520
Baltimore	12	11	.520
Buffalo	5	21	.192

National League	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	15	11	.577
Chicago	15	11	.577
Boston	13	11	.541
Pittsburgh	13	11	.541
Brooklyn	12	11	.520
Cincinnati	11	11	.500
New York	10	14	.417
St. Louis	12	17	.414

GAMES TOMORROW

New England
Lowell at Lewiston.
Lynn at Lawrence.
Manchester at Portland.
Fitchburg at Worcester.

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Boston at Cleveland.
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Batting, Number of
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Here is some food for local fans to digest—and it is bitter food at that. Lowell is at present leading the league in runs scored, in the team batting averages, in number of hits made and also in total bases.

Team	G	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rb	sh	sf	pc	po	a	pc.
Lowell	11	355	65	322	160	13	5	4	10	16	0	317	300	159.28.545
Portland	10	352	37	255	111	3	2	1	13	0	0	212	273	127.22.548
Pittsburgh	11	357	42	288	107	9	4	0	11	7	4	233	263	140.21.339
Lynn	11	356	54	311	101	8	3	2	25	14	3	230	258	146.28.549
Lewiston	11	375	60	312	112	14	3	4	9	13	3	219	305	157.37.925
Lawrence	11	363	60	299	113	9	4	3	8	17	0	218	309	165.28.549
Worcester	12	391	62	325	116	23	3	0	12	15	1	216	336	177.27.359
Manchester	11	355	41	269	99	5	7	0	12	15	1	192	297	145.26.545

CORNELL CREW

Oarsmen From Ithaca
Appear to Have the
Best College Boat

PRINCETON, N. J., May 18.—I followed the Princeton crew one afternoon with Guy Nickalls, in his automobile. Immediately afterward I went with Mr. Nickalls to the Princeton coaching launch and saw Yale to her final practice. Then John Hoyle took me aboard to see Cornell's work.

Thus in a short hour and a half I saw more polished crew rowing than has ever come to my lot. Yet without all these are working on diametrically opposite lines. Nickalls is sticking to the orthodox English stroke and rigging, while Cornell and Princeton are more rounded out. At usual Courtenay has his men wonderfully well together. They run one part of the stroke into the next with wheel-like continuity as the others don't, and thus a likeliest hard work for the others to overhaul her. Yale has the hardest catch of the lot in the beginning, but both Cornell and Princeton have more kick and drive in the very end of the stroke, which of course means speed between strokes.

Probably no better three strokesmen

ever lined up to start than those who will make the pace today. Putnam of Princeton, Moore of Yale and Andrus of Cornell are a trio such as we have not had in decades.

Yale's weak point is at bow. He is far from smooth and continually looks out of the boat. Cornell's No. 5 man is very still and has comparatively no swing. This will militate against the Ithacan chances.

Both Princeton and Yale have a hand's breadth or more space between the hands or the oar handle. All of Cornell's men grip the oars with the hands close together. This gives decidedly more leverage, and thus foot pounds, toward putting the boat ahead.

I have never seen boats travel on such even keels as the three variety boats here keep. And even keels spell speed. There was no heaving that night but, as usual, I tried the round robin with the following results: "Yale hefters say," "Well lick Princeton. Princeton is positive that she can put it over on Yale and there are Cornellians in town who are sure that their crew will not be headed at any stage of the race."

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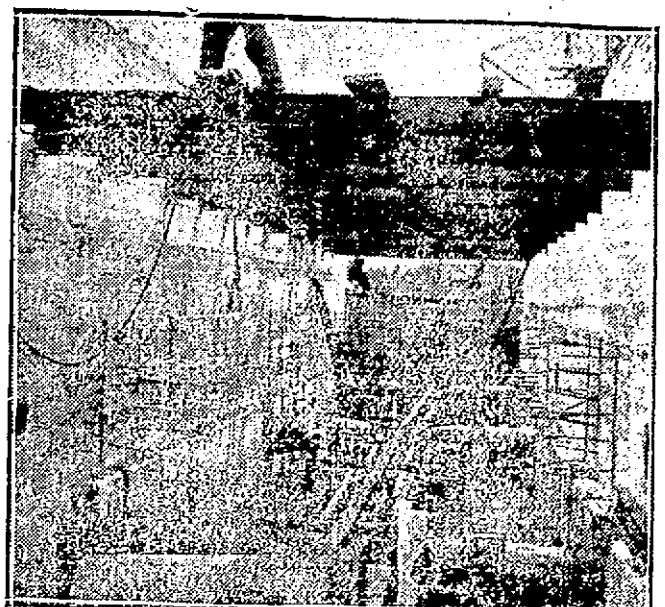
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PIPE GALLERY OF FILTER PLANT

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Work on the new filter plant at the boulevard is progressing rapidly and the cement chambers are assuming definite form. The accompanying picture shows the pipe gallery at the boulevard filtration plant soon to be completed. The pipes shown are those running to and from the prefiler house. All of the piping has been completed and the 20-inch valves to be used in the gallery are expected to arrive in a few days. The eye-beams shown will support the floor above which will be the superstructure for the prefiler building and laboratory.

BODY FOUND HANGING

BOY OF 13 ATTEMPTED TO ENACT A THRILLER DESCRIBED IN MAGAZINE

EAST LEBANON, Me., May 15.—The body of Ludwig Bellevue, aged 13, was discovered hanging from a sapling in the woods near the home of his aunt at Center Lebanon by Armand Lacourte this morning.

Bellevue had been missing since Sunday night. Coroner L. A. Hurd of Sanford decided it was a case of accidental death by hanging. The boy had evidently attempted to enact a thriller described in a magazine he had

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COMMITTED SUICIDE

Emil Hoeder was National Past Senior Vice Commander of the United Spanish War Veterans

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 15.—Emil Hoeder, national past senior vice commander of the United Spanish War Veterans, is dead at his home here. According to a statement by the police today, he committed suicide last night by drinking poison. Hoeder was the unsuccessful candidate for commander-in-chief of the national organization at its last convention in Louisville.

Former business associates said he recently was worried by financial troubles.

LEW WEST SENTENCED

Woman Accused at Springfield of Being the Leader of a Band of Shoplifters

SPRINGFIELD, May 15.—Lew West was yesterday afternoon sentenced by the superior court to nine months in the house of correction on a charge of larceny on Dec. 12, 1911. She had persistently denied her guilt until yesterday, when she said she stole the gown from the Steiger store. The district attorney said she had forfeited \$5000 jumping bail in different parts of the country and alluded to her as the leader of a band of shoplifters.

FRANK HEARING MAY 31

ATLANTA, Ga., May 15.—The Georgia prison commission yesterday set Monday, May 31, as the date for beginning a hearing on Leo M. Frank's petition asking that his death sentence for the murder of Mary Phagan be commuted to life imprisonment.

CITY HALL NOTES

The contract for 5000 cubic yards of filter sand for the filtration plant will go to the Lowell Brick & Cement Co., of which William A. Draper is the head. The Lowell Brick & Cement Co. was the only bidder and the bid was \$1.54 per cubic yard delivered. The sand, it is understood, will come from a sand bank in North Chatham. The bank is owned by Mr. Draper and the sand will be transported in motor trucks.

Bids on Fire Escapes
Bids on fire escapes for the men's infirmary building at the Chelmsford street hospital will open in Commissioner Putnam's office on Friday forenoon at 11 o'clock.

The assessors again call the attention of those who have claimed their residence within a year, that it would be well for them to call at the assessors' office and find out if they are properly on the list. The assessors are now working on the list.

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SHOT FOUR TIMES TO KILL SULTAN

New Leader of Portugal Attacked — Assailant Killed

LISBON, via London, May 18.—Joao Chagas, the new president of the cabinet, was shot four times with a pistol while on board the midnight train from Oporto. His assailant was Senator Freitas, who was shot and killed by gendarmes.

Senator Chagas was taken to a hospital where it was announced that his condition was grave. In addition to other wounds he is suffering from a fracture of the skull.

MADRID, via London, May 18.—A dispatch received here from Lisbon concerning the shooting of Senator Chagas says the attack occurred at the Entrocamento railway station.

Fighting in Lisbon has begun again, according to the latest news reaching Madrid. The warships are bombarding the city. More than 100 persons have been killed, including several Spaniards.

The Spanish warships Espana and Rio de la Plata and a Spanish torpedo boat have arrived in Lisbon.

IMPROVEMENT TODAY

LISBON, May 15.—Improvement is shown in the condition of Joao Chagas, new president of the cabinet, who was shot and dangerously wounded while on board a train. Examining doctors showed that a bullet entered the forehead and came out near the right parietal bone. It is feared Senator Chagas may lose the sight of his right eye.

Lisbon has again resumed its normal appearance except that no street cars are running. Business is being conducted as usual.

The report direct from Lisbon that the condition of Senator Chagas is improving is in direct conflict with an earlier despatch from Madrid sent by the Portuguese government, which received in the Spanish capital to the effect that Chagas had died of his wounds.

ASSAILANT SLAIN BY SOLDIER

LISBON, May 15.—Senator Freitas, who shot and dangerously wounded Chagas, president of the new cabinet, was slain at the Entrocamento railroad station by a soldier who witnessed the attack upon Senator Chagas. By his action the soldier forestalled an assault upon Freitas by civilians who were clamoring for his life.

It was Freitas who led the attack in the senate against Alfonso Costa, a party in the parliamentary conflict last year. It is believed in some quarters that the bullets which struck Chagas were intended for Costa, who arrived at Lisbon earlier in the day.

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Plot to Assassinate Sultan, Von Der Goltz and Von Sanders

PARIS, May 18.—Reports from Constantinople confirm the discovery of a plot organized by Armenians and Turks opposed to the new regime to assassinate the sultan, Enver Pasha, Field Marshal Von Der Goltz and Gen. Liman Von Sanders, telegraphs the Journal's Athens correspondent.

Two Armenians, the Journal says, were to have blown up the Kara-Keui bridge connecting Istanbul and Galata on the sultan's birthday, while the ruler, accompanied by his commanders, was crossing to attend a ceremony at the mosque of St. Sophia. The plot is said to have been revealed by a son of Zoghrah Effendi, an Armenian deputy of Constantinople.

The correspondent declares 400 Armenians have been arrested and that their fate is unknown, while Kurds have been given orders to burn two large villages near Van.

IN POLICE COURT

There was an unusual variety of offenders in the docket which faced Judge Enright in police court this forenoon.

Thomas Gorman, alias Polasky, who was arraigned on continuance, charged with larceny of six facets from the plant of the United States Cartridge Company on Lawrence street, changed his plea of not guilty to guilty. Defendant gave his name as Gorman when first brought before the court but was identified by the finger print system as Thomas Polasky of Boston, who had served in the house of correction at Deer Island for larceny and other offenses.

He pleaded with the court for leniency today, claiming that the facets were returned and no damage resulted. His Honor informed the defendant that the local court could not tolerate strangers coming to Lowell and committing thefts and ordered him to pay a \$15 fine. He could not produce the money and was committed to jail.

Caught on Freight Car

James Coleman and John Reed, from New York state and Concord, N. H., were apprehended last night by Patrolman James Bowdoin, charged with larceny of a bicycle from the Middlesex street station. Each pleaded guilty in court this forenoon and their cases were continued until Friday for sentence.

Coleman, who appeared to have been "roughing it" for sometime, had a grip in his possession containing a quantity of underwear, hosiery, etc. He told the police that he was a traveling salesman and left Concord, N. H., last night. This statement will be investigated before Friday.

The Sausage Law

Two alleged violators of the sausage law were before the court for manufacturing sausage which contained starch in excess of two per cent. The state inspector informed the court that one of the defendants, Isaac Rousseau, had been warned about this offence before. Rousseau pleaded guilty and was fined \$5. The case of Arthur Greenwood, the same complaint, was placed on file.

Larceny Case

Thomas J. Gibbons, who was found guilty of larceny of a suit of clothes from Mr. Julien of Middlesex street, last week, was called today for sentence. Gibbons pleaded guilty and a warrant had been taken out of the Ayer court charging Gibbons with larceny in Westford and said the local police were willing that he should be turned over to the Ayer authorities. As a result his case was continued until tomorrow and in the meantime he will be removed to the Ayer.

Charged with larceny of \$25 in money from Albert Booth and Richard J. Grant, Charles H. McCarthy was called before the court and he pleaded not guilty. As the government was not ready for trial his case was continued until tomorrow.

James P. Callahan was found guilty of assault and battery upon his wife, Mary A. though he stoutly denied committing the assault. Mrs. Callahan said that her husband was not at home and because she was not at work, struck her on the face. Callahan, who was very talkative, attempted to show that he was not guilty but the testimony of his wife satisfied the court of his guilt. A suspended sentence of three months in jail was imposed.

Drunk Offenders

Among the offenders for drunkenness was a member of the Massachusetts bar, who formerly practiced in

TWO SLEUTHS ON GUARD

SERGEANT PETRIE AND LIQUOR INSPECTOR MURPHY ON THE LOOK-OUT AT SQUARE THIS MORNING

"Is This The Sun?" came a voice over the phone this morning, and when an affirmative reply was given, the voice continued: "Is Mr. Sherlock Holmes and Gay (Garrick) doing in front of The Sun building, all morning. Is somebody going to pinch the building?"

A short time after another query was made as follows: "What's going on in the square? I notice a couple of detectives giving everybody the Mutt datted line glance as they pass by?"

Then a reporter was sent out to see what it was all about and he came back with the report that Sergeant Petrie and Liquor Inspector Murphy were holding up the front of The Sun building, both wrapped in an air of mystery, searching "lumping" everyone who went by. Just what the detectives doing in Merrimack square is their own business, but they attracted as much attention as if they had been labelled "Detectives."

BROADWAY CLUB

The Broadway Social and Athletic club held its regular meeting last evening at their rooms on Broadway, with President McGinnis presiding. Considerable business of importance was transacted. The committee on camp reported that it had engaged the Takarast camp at Flushing pond for the coming season. The feature committee is busy on the Fourth of July celebration plans. The following committee was proposed to have charge of the banquet: Richard O'Brien, Andrew McLaughlin, Garrett Royal, John Queenan, Timothy Sullivan. Remarks for the welfare of the club were made by many of the members.

NOT WORRYING OVER SUBMARINES

NEW YORK, May 15.—There was not an American among the passengers when the Cammer Orinaria sailed. Captain Taylor said he was not worrying about submarines and expected an uninterrupted trip across.

Andrassy, as leader of the opposition, declared:

"The entire nation is united on this question. If war is inevitable it will do its duty manfully but if peace is possible it will joyfully and sincerely join to bring about more intimate and friendly relations with Italy."

FULL POWERS TO GOVERNMENT

ROME, May 18.—The Italian parliament will be asked Thursday to vote on a bill containing a single clause conferring plenary powers on the government, according to the Giornale D'Italia. Final action regarding war is not expected until after that time unless Austria makes the first move which is considered unlikely in view of the pacific speeches made in the Hungarian Diet.

Alarmist rumors of all kinds are being circulated in Rome. One report circulated today was to the effect that Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador already had left the city secretly. It was unfounded, although a special train is kept in readiness to carry him to St. Gotthard if a break comes as he is understood to have expressed a wish to return to Berlin by way of Switzerland.

50 KILLED IN RIOTING

ROME, May 18.—Despatches from Trieste telegraphed from the frontier to the Idea Nazionale state that the number killed in the rioting of yesterday (Sunday) was about 50, including several aged men. The Austrian authorities had three cannon trained on the town from the height of Opicina and also threatened to have the city bombarded by warships. A renewal of the revolutionary outbreak has become impossible because strong forces of troops occupy the city. There have been explosions in two powder magazines and attempts to pillage gunsmiths' shops.

NO NOTE TO BRITAIN

SEC. TUMULTY DENIES REPORT THAT U. S. WOULD SEND SHARP MESSAGE WITHIN 72 HOURS

NEW YORK, May 18.—A report that President Wilson will send a note to Great Britain, probably within the next 72 hours, protesting against interference with American commerce, was met last night by a statement from Secretary Tumulty that no such step was contemplated.

The question of British interference with American commerce has been under discussion with American officials for some time and it is understood that ultimately efforts will be made to take up the question with Great Britain. Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia and others have urged administration to take steps to keep England from holding American ships in port.

BODY FOUND IN CANAL

"LAWRENCE, May 18.—The body taken from the south canal last Friday was identified yesterday as that of John Nettles of 21 Springfield street. He was missing from his home several weeks. He is survived by a number of brothers. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon.

Great China Sale this week at Geo. H. Wood's, 125 Central street.

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PROPOSALS

BUILDING DEPARTMENT
Scaled proposals will be received from local contractors only, at the office of the Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses on Friday, May 21, 1915, until 11 o'clock a. m. for the installation of

FIRE ESCAPES ON THE CHELMSFORD STREET HOSPITAL

No bid will be received previous to 9 a. m. or after 11 a. m. Plans and specifications for this work may be seen at the office of the Building Department at City Hall from 9 a. m. till 4 p. m.

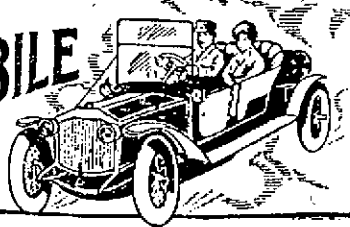
Each proposal must be on a blank form furnished by the Building Department and no other form will be received. Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check made payable to the Treasurer of the City of Lowell, and to be forfeited by the contractor, should he refuse or fail to sign the contract at any time within three days after being notified that contract was ready for signature. The amount of this check to be 25% of the price mentioned in the proposal.

Each contractor must be prepared to give bond to the amount of 25% of the contract price, conditioned on the satisfactory execution of the contract, as required by the plans and specifications.

The Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

NEWELL F. PUTNAM,
Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses.
FRANKS A. CANNON,
Inspector of Buildings.

AUTOMOBILE NEWS



AUTOMOBILE QUESTION BOX

EDITED BY GEORGE H. ROBERTSON

NOTE—In these columns every Tuesday Mr. George H. Robertson, America's foremost automobile authority, will give expert advice to motorists on how to repair and operate their machines. Automobile readers of THE SUN are invited to send in questions or problems they may wish to have answered. Such questions will receive attention in due time. Address all communications: Automobile Question Box, The Lowell Sun, Lowell, Mass. Communications must bear the signature and address of the sender, though not for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

What is the difference between high and low tension?

A low tension magneto is one that furnishes a continuous current which is broken only by the use of a make and break arrangement at the head of the piston and operated by the chain shaft. The magneto consists of only the armature and coils with the necessary brushes, oil wicks, etc.

A high tension magneto is one which generates the current and distributes it through its own break box and distributor. The armature has two windings, one the primary, of stout wire, and the other, the secondary, of fine wire. This type of magneto has within itself a condenser, distributor, break box, a means of advance, etc.

What makes my car jerk when I give it gas and let it in second speed? Is a master vibrator any good and what is it for?

The jerking is due no doubt to too rich a mixture. Would advise you to cut down a little on your jet. A master vibrator will improve the running of your motor. It would pay to put one on.

I have just bought a second-hand machine which sometimes gives me trouble with the brakes. Would thank you very much if you will inform me on the following: If the brakes fail to act where may the trouble be. If I must remove and adjust them, kindly let me know how I should proceed.

Why does the crank shaft kick back with advanced spark on magneto same as on battery? Are there any other reasons for kick back besides advanced spark? Do both rear wheels revolve when motor is running on a kick? I saw one this way with only one rear wheel revolving.

You probably have your battery ignition set in advance of your magneto ignition. A motor will "kick back" if it is over-advanced. This is the action of the differential one wheel may remain at rest while the other revolves. If both wheels were free and did not bind a little they would both revolve.

In cleaning my automobile I disconnected the storage and dry cell wires and cannot get them back so as to start the motor. How can I determine the direction of the flow of current from each of them?

The storage batteries are marked with a positive and negative sign. The negative side of the battery is usually used as the ground return. The dry batteries have a carbon of center pole which is positive, and the outside pole, which is zinc, negative.

I am having great trouble with my clutch. Every time I throw it out and hold it for a short time it will start to grind. The only relief I get is when I put some grease in the clutch collar cup and a little oil on the collar. She will run all right then for a few minutes, when I have worn out two clutch collars in a short time.

In replacing the new clutch collar you should first grind off the cut-up face of the shaft upon which the collar bears. Unless this is done, a new collar will be useless after a short while. Plenty of grease in a large grease cup is essential.

Kindly let me know how to determine which cylinders in a motor car are in good condition.

In order that a cylinder be in good condition the compression should be normal. If the cylinder is worn the piston rings are bad or the valves need grinding or are not timed properly, or if a leak develops in one of the gaskets the compression of each cylinder will not be up to the required pressure. Try the compression of each cylinder by either a compression gauge or feeling the pull on the starting crank, and you can readily distinguish the bad one.

Is any special solution used in cleaning the tires both inside and out? As I am about to take my car out for the summer I would like to know

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A. L. O.

Whether you know of some good honest man who would like to earn some extra money helping me overhaul the car.

J. W. B.

Would advise cleaning out the castings with a little gasoline. Would not use too much, however, as an over amount might not do the tires any good. After the casting is cleaned inside, rub plenty of talcum powder into it. All small cuts on the outside should be filled up with a tire filler. Will try and locate a good man for you.

Kindly let me know what benefit a master vibrator is on a Ford car? Also if 30x3 1/2 inch tires can be used on the front wheels of a Ford without making any changes to wheels?

A. W. J.

A master vibrator tends to intensify the current which the flywheel magnet supplies. This increased intensity develops a heavier explosion, thus increasing the power of the motor. The tire you mention cannot be used on the front wheels unless you stretch it unreasonably. A 30x3 1/2 will fit the wheel properly.

CADILLAC EIGHTS

The number of Cadillac Eight produced and delivered up to May 12, exceeded 3000. The first cars of this model were shipped in October, the production necessarily beginning at the rate of only a few a day. At the present time, 100 to 125 cars of the eight-cylinder type are built daily at the Cadillac plant.

May was the largest month in the 12 years' history of the Cadillac company. Production and shipments for that month totaled 2325 cars.

G. B.

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CLAIMS TO BE AMERICAN

TRIAL ON CHARGES OF ALLEGED SPYING OF ANTON KUEPFERLE OPENED AT LONDON

LONDON, May 18.—The trial on charges of alleged spying of Anton Kuepfere, who claims to be a naturalized American citizen residing at one time in Brooklyn, N. Y., opened at the Old Bailey police court today before Lord Reading, lord chief justice and Justice Aveling and Lush.

Although it had been announced earlier that the hearing would be in camera, the authorities decided at the last moment upon a public trial and the courtroom was crowded with spectators. Admission by ticket was insisted upon. The complaint alleges that the 1350 copies of the assessed polls for the total sum of \$550, and the mayor was given permission to buy a carload of flour for the Chelmsford street hospital.

A list of petitions having to do with minor street improvements, wire attachments, etc., were properly referred.

Morality Wanted Hearing

Just as the meeting was about to adjourn, James Moriarty asked to be heard. It seems that Mr. Moriarty had been an officer in the employ of the water department and was discharged by the superintendent. "I am a citizen and am entitled under section 14 and their positions in the Irish channel of the charter, to a hearing," he said, and disposition of the king's forces.

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TRY KEROSENE IN MOTOR

There has been so much talk recently about burning carbon out of the cylinders that the good, old-fashioned remedy—an application of kerosene—is about forgotten.

It is without doubt a wonderful advance to be able to run your car into a garage, have the cylinders opened up from the top and the carbon removed by means of an oxygen flame. This, however, costs some money, although not much, for the car up from one to three hours and causes a certain amount of wear and tear on the threads of the various parts removed, to get into the cylinders.

But by squirting a quantity of kerosene into each cylinder occasionally, much of the necessity of having carbon removed would be avoided and the cylinders and rings would be kept in better condition.

To you who are reading this—why don't you try kerosene in your motor, and set certain days when you will apply it?

It is better to apply it two or three nights in succession, than it is to apply it four or five times at considerable intervals. Start in tonight and when you put the car away, put three or four tablespoonfuls of kerosene into each cylinder of your engine. In the morning it will smoke badly for a few minutes but never mind that. Do the same thing tomorrow night, and again the following night. You will be surprised at the difference in the way your engine will operate.

U. S. AVIATION SCHOOL

On July 1 a Cadillac Eight, of the seven-passenger style, will go into the service of the signal corps of the United States Aviation school at San Diego, Cal. Capt. A. S. Cowan, the commanding officer, in placing the order for the car, said it would be used as the official car of the school.

AUTOISTS' TEN COMMANDMENTS

Don't run fast into or across main highways.

Don't take blind curves too fast.

Don't run on the wrong side of the road.

Don't pass street cars when passengers are entering or leaving.

Don't fail to sound your horn before passing other vehicles.

Don't forget that a car or a person may be just around the turn.

Don't forget that the other fellow may be dull, reckless or drunk.

Don't fail to look out for pedestrians.

Don't forget that children dash suddenly and unexpectedly.

Don't take chances. That's the simple, embracing rule.

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OUTLOOK FOR THE SEASON'S BUSINESS VERY ENCOURAGING

The prospect for a prosperous season has encouraged the dealers in the various types of automobiles and the demand is steadily increasing. The horse is fast disappearing from the streets and cars are becoming more numerous every day.

Everett Bernard, who formerly drove for the Hovey Auto Livery, now discontinued, is in charge of the service car of Pitts' Auto Supply.

A great transcontinental relay on motorcycles will take place in July under the sanction of the United States war department. The run, consisting of 28 relay teams, will start from New York city, bearing a message from President Wilson and will be delivered in San Francisco.

There will be a big time in Concord, N. H., on the 7th and 8th of June. Automobile and motorcycle races will be run there. The day set apart for the motorcycle races is the 8th. It is expected that a large number of Lowell autoists and cyclists will be present at these races.

The welding department of the Sawyer Carriage company, Worthen street,

has met with great success. The department was commenced but a few weeks ago and from the very first it has been very busy welding crank cases and various other parts on machines which when broken can be welded.

One of the city's most active as well as attractive automobile establishments is that situated at 11 Howard street, known as the Howard street garage, and operated under the direction of Herbert Girard. One of the striking features of this motor station is its efficient elevator, service which insures the best of care in handling cars. Mr. Girard gives all work his personal supervision. The structure itself is absolutely fireproof, being constructed of cement. Mr. Girard is a very busy man at the present time and finds his trade constantly increasing.

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FACTORY TESTING

Most people have a very vague idea as to what really constitutes the test of an automobile factory. In a factory, however, it means a great deal. From the time the raw material comes into the factory until the finished car is ready for shipment, tests are continually being made. The steel must be tough and strong, the castings must be finished and stand the test of rigid inspection before being used. After the motor has been assembled and filled with oil, it is bolted to a testing block and turned by an electric motor for several hours; then every part is tightened and adjusted and the motor is run under its own power for one or two hours, after which it is rigidly inspected and installed in the chassis.

The road testers then examine and adjust every part of the chassis. The adjustment of the brakes, lights, all screws, nuts and electrical connections, and take it out on the road. They first test the brakes and try each of the gears, then test the minimum and fast speed on high gear and tune the carburetor to a still finer adjustment. They drive the car on various grades. It must, without apparent effort, climb hills that the average owner will never encounter. All parts must work in unison before the road tester has completed his task.

After this, the chassis is again inspected and delivered to the chief tester, a man who must have a natural instinctive ability to locate and remedy the most minute and unnoticeable irregularity. It is his duty to bring the car as a whole up to the highest degree of efficiency. He does not rely entirely on the "O.K." of the road tester but tries the car himself before sending it to the final assembly.

After the chassis has been declared "O.K." by the road testers it is delivered to the cleaning platform where it is very carefully blown off with steam in order to free each crack and crevice from the dirt which has accumulated on the road test.

After this operation the frame members and other parts to be painted are carefully scrubbed off with a mixture of pumice stone and gasoline, every precaution being taken to secure a clean surface wherever paints, varnishes or enamels are to be applied.

The chassis is now ready for the paint shop, an entire floor of which is devoted to chassis finishing. First a rough primer coat is applied, allowed to dry and then rubbed in. This coat adheres very closely to the surface of the metal and acts as a binder between the paint and the chassis. Unusual care is taken in curing or drying the finish both on the chassis and body.

Then after the body has been fitted and the car is ready for shipment, he inspects it once more to make sure that everything is up to the standard—then it is shipped.

AN EXPERIMENTAL "HYDROCAR"

A Scottish motorist, Mr. Leslie C. Lamber, has designed and built an amphibious machine, with the idea of producing a practical combination car which can be successfully used as a motorboat.

On the land this experimental machine is driven by one of the rear wheels only through a two-speed gear drive from the engine, chain transmission being used throughout. When in the water the drive is transmitted to an ordinary reversing propeller. With the machine at present under test the speed on land is 20 miles per hour and in the water 4 miles per hour; a 4 1/2 horsepower engine is installed.

The designer has made several long cruises in this craft, sometimes carrying a passenger. Given a fairly good approach from the road it is possible to drive straight off the road into the water, cruise about as long as relatively practical combination of motor boat and car. It is expected that at the next attempt a "Hydrocar" will be produced which will maintain the usual touring speed on land and travel, say, eight to ten miles per hour in the water.

It is suggested that during flood seasons the "Hydrocar" would prove of special service. Its designer's address is "Hillside," Drumchapel, near Glasgow.

WHEELS THAT WABBLE

A skid against a curb, or a quick turn in a rut may spring a wheel out of true and result in a wobble which will cause irregular and rapid wear on the tire. This will explain complaints of a "very poor tire."

1012. The substance of Mr. Regan's letter was published in The Sun a few days ago.

Garage and Gasoline Licenses

The petitions of the following ones for garage and gasoline licenses, assigned for hearings today, were referred to Commissioner Carmichael and Chief Saunders: L. E. Wotton, Robert S. Girard, Clarkson H. Turner and Pratt & Forrest. The petitions of the following named were granted: Ernest F. Dumas, Severin Beaudry, C. F. Comerford, Richard J. Welch and Walter H. Biekey. The following petitions of a like order were scheduled for hearings on June 8: Gertrude L. Gardner, W. E. Stetson, Robertson Co., James F. Corbett and Frank W. Bancroft.

For White Way Conducts

The petitions of the Lowell Electric Light corporation for conduits and poles in connection with the extension of the white way in Merrimack and Middlesex streets, in Merrimack street from Colburn to Cabot street, and in Middlesex street from the railroad crossing to McIntyre, were granted, as was a petition to lay conduits in Merrimack street between Cabot and Pawtucket street, preparatory to the paving work to be done there.

Charged to Wrong Account

Commissioner Morse was taken generally to task by Commissioners Putnam and Duncan for charging repair work in Alken street up to the appropriation for paving instead of the appropriation for maintenance.

"Did you instruct your clerk in this matter?" asked Mr. Putnam.

"Yes, and he followed my instructions. I told him to charge it up to paving, because I felt that it was paving work," replied Mr. Morse.

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